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Greece Aids Jews, Gives Up Claim

Despite a severe shortage of life's necessities, the Greek Government has renounced all rights to unclaimed Jewish property and will use it for the benefit of the 10,500 surviving Jews in Greece, Isreal G. Jacobson, Joint Distribution Committee director in Greece, announced in an interview at the national offices of the United Jewish Appeal, 342 Madison Avenue, New York.

Mr. Jacobson, who just returned to the U.S. after nine months in Greece, where he supervised the relief and rehabilitation of distressed Jews, said:

"The splendid action of the Greek Government in renouncing its claim to property owned by Jews, amounting to several millions of dollars, for which there are no legal heirs, is recognition of the enormous suffering the Jewish people of Greece endured."

Benefits to the surviving Jews, he pointed out, will accrue as a result of recently enacted legislation suggested to the Government by the Joint Distribution Committee. It is expected that the unclaimed properties will be administered by the Greek Government for the remaining Jews under a foundation to be established for that purpose.

Mr. Jacobson made public the contents of a letter to him from George Mavros, Greek Minister of Justice, in which the latter said the country, "in spite of its financial difficulties, could not remain indifferent in face of the unprecedented calamity that befell the Jews of all countries of Europe, and particularly of Greece."

"The Greek Government," the letter continued, "considers it a [illegible] to say that the [illegible] law, passed by the Council of Ministers and ratified by the Greek Regent on Jan. 17, is not likely to be repealed, since it has been endorsed by all political factions and by the preceding regime.

Picturing living conditions in Greece, where the German occupation cost the lives of six out of every seven Jews, Mr. Jacobson said 90 per cent of Greek Jews live a precarious life despite the extensive program of his committee, which amounted to $50,000 a month.

He paid tribute to the relief activities of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration in Greece, but added that such relief is insufficient because of [illegible]

Mr. Jacobson pointed out that soon after liberation 90 per cent of the Jewish population of 8,500 was entirely dependent on JDC help. In a short time, however, he said, rehabilitative projects, including a small loans bank, aided almost half to become economically and spiritually strong enough to quit the relief rolls. He said there is an active interest among Jews in migrating to Palestine, and that the Greek Government is giving all aid possible under existing quotas.

Citing the need that still exists, Mr. Jacobson urged support of the 1946 campaign for $100,000,000 for the United Jewish Appeal for Refugees, Overseas Needs and Palestine, from which the JDC derives its funds.

Soviet Paper Objects To Inquiry

The magazine "New Times", of Moscow, attacked Anglo-American action in naming a Palestine inquiry committee without consulting the United Nations.

"What legal foundations are there for the existence of the Anglo-American committee? Who empowered it to solve the Palestine problem without the participation of parties directly concerned?" the magazine asked and asserted: "The United Nations Organization had no relation whatever to this question. Arab public opinion is indignant at the effort to decide the Palestine question behind its back.

"One thing is clear," it continued, "it is hardly possible to justify the necessity for an Anglo-American Palestine committee especially when the machinery of the United Nations Organization has begun to function, an organization of which the United States and Britain are members."

The "New Times" quoted Dr. Albert Einstein as saying that the committee was a smoke screen covering up a British policy of artificially inciting enmity between Jews and Arabs to preserve British power in Palestine.

(In Washington on January 11, Dr. Einstein told the Anglo-American Committee of Inquiry on Palestine that he did not believe its efforts were regarded seriously by the British Foreign Office. Likening Palestine to "a small model of India," he said the British pursue a policy of "divide et impera" (divide and govern) and that "until the British leave Palestine there will be no peace for the Jews and Arabs.")

Semi-Starved Get Food At Last

Vienna's badly undernourished Jews were receiving postcards informing them that, for the first time in six years or more, the Jewish community as a whole was going to be able to really eat. Sources close to the Jewish community organization disclosed that American Joint Distribution Committee representatives, at Vienna, working under the auspices of the United States Army had finally overcome all transportation difficulties.

The committee began to hand out food packages to the semi-starved Jewish residents in non-American zones and smaller packages to the better-fed Jewish residents in the American zones. The latter had already received some aid from the American Red Cross.

The Jews, weakened by years of starvation in concentration camps or in hiding have been suffering increasing inroads from tuberculosis and other diseases.

The Joint Distribution representatives have been struggling with transportation difficulties. The foodstuffs that arrived were contracted for in October and November. The previous shipment was received in August. Since that time only a dribble of supplies has come in, used mostly for emergency cases or to help the hospitals.

A rough estimate showed that some 127 Jewish children have survived out of the pre-war Jewish population of 185,000. One-fourth of them have already contracted tuberculosis.

A sufficient supply of food has now arrived, however, to create a reserve. Three more carloads of Army rations are already en route from Marseille.

There is a report that United States Occupation authorities are [illegible] in the matter of [illegible] of the disputed properties in the sole control of the Allied Powers is expected to enable the United States authorities to do something to protect Jewish rights at least in the American zone.

The Jewish community organization has suggested that the Allies try to get a complete census of the present status of the property seized from the Jews by the Nazis.

Projects To Help 300 Children

How "stateless" children, born in concentration camps, are learning what a home is like was described by Mrs. Bernard F. Gimbel, just returned to New York from a visit to England, where, at the request of the Foster Parents Plan for War Children, she inspected the organization's colonies for refugee children.

Many concentration camp children have lost both parents as a result of Nazi brutality, she said, and the youngest of these, born behind barbed wire, do not know their names, their ages, or their nationalities. Plan officials estimate that in the fifty-six projects now in operation in France, England, Belgium, Holland, Malta and Italy there are at least 300 "nameless, ageless children."

Children who never had a home are now settled in homelike hostels, where they are learning that no one will take their food away from them, Mrs. Gimbel said. They are discovering also that they need not hide under a table or chair when they hear a sudden noise, such as the slamming of a door.

"These children are unselfish, and voluntarily share everything they receive," Mrs. Gimbel declared. "They are dependent on one another, and show a fear of separation. When one leaves the room, the others worry about him until he comes back. They remember the concentration camps, where a temporary absence frequently meant that the person was never seen again".

Mrs. Gimbel said she believed that if Americans understood the urgent need of food in Europe, they would voluntarily [illegible] abroad through [illegible] when they shop for food for themselves.

"We waste more food here in a day than the British eat in a week," Mrs. Gimbel asserted. "I was almost sick when I visited my granddaughter and found her refusing to eat an egg."

Only one-tenth of the Jewish children of Europe survived the war and Nazi extermination, and more than half the survivors are orphans who will remain dependent upon government, community or relief agency support until they become adults, according to Mrs. David M. Levy, chairman of the National Women's Division of the 1946 United Jewish Appeal campaign for $100,000,000.

Mrs. Levy returned from Europe after completing a month-long survey of the conditions and problems facing European Jewry. As the recently named chairman of the Citizens' Committee on Children of New York City and a veteran in youth welfare work, Mrs. Levy took particular interest in the problem of Jewish refugee children.

No more than 150,000 Jewish children are alive in Europe. Of these, 65,000 are now being aided with funds raised through U. J. A. and allocated through the Joint Distribution Committee.

Since Belgium and Luxemborg are recovering rapidly from the war, Mrs. Levy estimated that within a year, these two countries could take care of destitute Jewish children without foreign help. However, the 6,000 to 7,000 Jewish orphans in France will need outside assistance for an indeterminate time, she said, because France has made less progress toward political and economic recovery.

Noting that the Joint Distribution Committee supports fifty-nine hospitals and child care institutions in France, eleven in Belgium and ten in Holland, Mrs. Levy reported on her visits to many of these. She found that the children were receiving adequate food "thanks to the funds made available by American Jews." She also remarked on the "thoroughly modern education" provided for these youngsters, many of whom have missed years of schooling. She added:

"The children seemed quite happy, though of course some have seen terrible things. They are adjusting, as children do.

"But they are living in the most sordid and barren atmosphere—in shabby and dreary houses that are badly lighted and inadequately heated. They have no toys and they need clothing and shoes. I hope we can do much more for them."

Adviser To Presidents Gets U. S. Medal

Samuel I. Rosenman, adviser and special counsel to two Presidents, was awarded the Medal for Merit by President Truman in anticipation of his resignation from the White House staff on February 1 to resume private law practice in New York City.

Mr. Truman announced "with deep regret" that Mr. Rosenman would leave the White House on that date and praised his "devoted" and "self-effacing" service to the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt and himself during and after the war.

A few minutes later, the President summoned Mr. Rosenman, who will be fifty soon, to his office and presented to him the Medal for Merit at a surprise ceremony. Mrs. Rosenman, their fourteen-year-old son, Robert, and ranking government officials were present.

Mr. Truman said the office of special counsel to the President would be discontinued and no successor would be named to Mr. Rosenman, who resigned as a Justice of the New York State Supreme Court in October, 1943, to join Mr. Roosevelt's staff. Mr. Truman said Mr. Rosenman had agreed to return to the White House periodically to assist and advise him, however.

Mr. Rosenman, after a brief vacation, will become senior partner of the New York law firm of Rosenman, Goldmark, Colin and Kaye.

The complete text of the statement announcing Mr. Rosenman's resignation read by the President to his press conference follows:

"Judge Samuel I. Rosenman is leaving the White House officially on February 1 to return to private life in New York City. I make this announcement with deep regret.

"Judge Rosenman sought to resign in a letter to me dated April 14, 1945. I told him I could not let him go, and he patriotically accepted my decision. In justice

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Refuse To Resume Jewish Names In Face Of Polish Hostility

The situation that has arisen in Poland has prompted the Jewish Committee in Warsaw, comprising all Jewish parties in Poland to issue a special warning against precipitate escape. Jews in many cases, are allowing themselves to become the victims of panic-mongers and of those who stand to gain by their departure, the Committee says. It seems that there are quite a number of people unscrupulous enough to enrich themselves by exploiting the Jews' situation in Poland, even to-day, says the correspondent for the London Jewish Chronicle.

The appeal by the Jewish Committee has been welcomed in the Polish Press, which points out that although this exodus is the result of attacks on Jews and of the anti-Semitism which is rife, there is no reason why the Jews, who have a great contribution to make to the rebuilding of the country and for whom there is work, should run away.

The Kurier Codzienny, organ of the Polish Democratic Party, says: "Undoubtedly racial hatred, which for five years was the main Nazi propaganda theme in Poland and caused such havoc in ethical values, has not disappeared. In face of the prevailing disregard for human and moral laws, it is not difficult, at least for the time being, for certain elements to carry on their activity in Poland."

The Polish Premier, and also high officials, against whom there can be no possible charge of anti-Semitism are, in all sincerity, trying to persuade the Jews to remain. Mr. Osobka-Morawski, the Premier, in a talk with the London Jewish Chronicle, emphasized the Government's decision to [illegible]

to the recently introduced "Summary Jurisdiction Courts" which are empowered to pass the death penalty for crimes committed on racial grounds. These courts are now at work, and judging by the atmosphere prevailing have not been ineffective.

The Premier never misses an opportunity to make it quite clear that his Government will use every possible means to stop these attacks and uproot anti-Semitism. He gave this assurance to the Polish National Council, last month, an assurance which was greeted with applause by practically all the 400 members in the Chamber. For it is apparent that the Government and the political parties supporting it regard anti-Semitism as a weapon used by Polish reactionaries in their fight against social progress. The forces of reaction, it should be remarked, both in the country and abroad are still very powerful.

There is no point in attempting to deny that in the course of the six years' inhumanly cruel and barbarous German extermination of Jews on Polish soil a gulf has been created between Pole and Jew. These tragic years provided a unique opportunity for bringing out the good and the bad in Pole and Jew and testing their relationship as never before. While it is true that the thousands of Jews who were saved in Poland only survived because many Poles rose to the occasion and hid or in other ways helped them, often at great risk to their own safety, [illegible] the same time, only too many [illegible] ed to do so, and even [illegible] Germans in their [illegible] Here are [illegible]

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Social Notes—Montreal

Mrs. S. Levine, of Brooklyn, N.Y., is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Block, Hutchison Street, and her grandchildren, Helen Lila, and the new-born David Norman.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Halpert, 5414 Clark Street, are spending two [illegible] ing Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown.

Edward I. Friefeld, Hutchison Street, has gone to take up residence in Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. H. S. Fineberg, Jeanne Mance Street, left to spend a month in Rochester, N.Y., visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. P. Rubenstein, and their son, Michael.

Misses Anne Stein, 6081 Hutchison Stret, and Lily Heller, 4576 Clark Street, are leaving to spend ten days in New York.

Misses Rose and Sarah Gaisin, Durocher Avenue, are visiting in New York.

Dr. and Mrs. C. Rosen and family, de l'Epée Avenue, are visiting relatives in Albany, N.Y.

Mrs. E. B. Kert, McEachran Avenue, is visiting friends in Toronto, Ont.

Mrs. M. J. Silverman, of Kingston, Ont., spent a month with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Berger, and her mother, Mrs. S. Smilovitch, all of 4539 Clark Street.

Mrs. Jack Stern and son, Henry, 294 Villeneuve Street West, spent a week at Ste. Agathe, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Kaufman.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Brenhouse, Esplanade Avenue, left to spend the remainder of the winter in Miami, Florida, and will be home for Passover.

Mrs. Rosa Israel, Queen Mary Road, is in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. James Salomon, Dorval Avenue, are spending a few weeks in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Greenwood, Cote St. Luc Road, spent a few days at Ivry.

Leo Singer, of Lethbridge, Alta., is visiting his father-in-law and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Shalinsky, Marcil Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Binestone, Notre Dame de Grace Avenue, are leaving for Atlantic City and points south.

Mrs. M. Fineberg, Prud'homme Avenue, is spending a holiday at Lac Brule.

Mrs. H. Naimer, Ponsard Avenue, has returned from New York.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Leibovitch, Grovehill Place, have gone to Miami Beach, Florida.

L.A.C. Harry Grobstein, son of Mrs. S. Grobstein, Barclay Street, returned from two years' service overseas.

Miss Mona Glickman, Northcliffe Avenue, has returned from New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wolfe, Vendome Avenue, left for Miami Beach, Florida, to join the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wolfe.

Mrs. Max Kert, Dorval Avenue, went by plane to New York to meet Mr. Kert, on his return from Arizona.

Miss Vivian Ert, of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, visited her cousins, Dr. and Mrs. B. B. Rasinsky, Chester Avenue, Town of Mount Royal.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kaufman, Queen Mary Road, have returned from New York.

Gerald Feldman, of New York, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Maron, Iona Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Koenig, Trans Island Avenue, visited relatives in New York.

Miss Felice Vineberg, Prud'homme Avenue, has returned from a holiday at Ivry.

Mrs. William Breslin, of Toronto, Ont., visited her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Levine, Queen Mary Road.

Mr. and Mrs. David Kerner, 4790 Ridgevale Avenue, spent a week at Castle des Monts, in Ste. Agathe.

Miss Edith Dunn, of Brooklyn, N.Y., visited her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. S. Levin, Cote des Neiges Road.

Mrs. H. Greenberg, of Brookline, Mass., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. M. Gorfinkel, Sherbrooke Street West.

Mrs. J. Kruger, Summerhill Avenue, is in New York, visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jonas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Perlman, Claremont Avenue, returned from Ivry.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Shulman, Grosvenor Avenue, are back from New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Meyerovitch, Grosvenor Avenue, are spending ten days in Atlantic City.

Major and Mrs. Julius Prince, of New Rochelle, N.Y., spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Jacobs, Sherbrooke Street West.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Glickman, Ridgewood Road, spent a few days at Lac Brule.

Mrs. Charles Rubin, Renfrew Road, spent a few days at Lac Brule.

Mrs. George Alexander, Cote St. Antoine Road, is spending a holiday at Atlantic City.

Mrs. A. Waxler, Sherbrooke Street West, is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Payton, of New Rochelle, N.Y., for several weeks.

Mrs. J. Gordon, Ridgewood Road, spent a few days at Lac Brule.

George W. Cohen, Cote des Neiges Road, was in Toronto, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Perlman, St. Luke Street, left on an extended trip to Miami Beach, Florida. Prior to their departure, they held open house.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lowinson, Sherbrooke Street West, entertained at a cocktail party, in honor of the latter's brother, Lieutenant-Colonel David Rothschild, who returned from Japan.

Mrs. L. Freiheit, Victoria Avenue, entertained at a tea presentation of a silver serving tray, at Eaton's, in honor of Miss Frances Plotkin, fiancée of Sam Mandelaya, and a bride-elect of May 19. The honoree wore a grey wool dress, trimmed with black velvet, matching hat, and a corsage of red roses. Mrs. Freiheit, the hostess, was in a print crepe dress, with black accessories, and a corsage of red roses.

Mrs. Bernard Nathanson, Tupper Street, was hostess at a luncheon presentation of a fruit-bowl, at Morgan's, in honor of Miss Anne Caplan, Park Avenue, fiancée of Moe Stavise, Esplanade Avenue, and bride-elect of February 17. Mrs. Nathanson wore a tweed suit, with a white blouse, and black accessories; and Miss Caplan, a black dress trimmed in Chartreuse-color, with black accessories.

Miss Anne Wideman, Outremont Avenue, entertained in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Becker, of New York, who were visiting here for several weeks. Mrs. H. Klineberg assisted in serving.

Mesdames S. Segal, Bloomfield Avenue, and A. Nirenberg, Querbes Avenue, were hostesses at a luncheon presentation of two cheques in honor of Miss Anne Caplan, fiancée of Moe Stavise, and a bride-elect of February 17.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Blumer, 5515 Maplewood Avenue, entertained at three evenings in honor of their youngest son, Sgt.-Major Norman Blumer, who returned after serving for three years in England, France, Belgium, and Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Frank entertained on their fourth wedding anniversary, at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs. Ruby Goldman, Hutchison Street. Mr. Frank returned home after serving for three years with the R.C.A.F.

Mrs. Charles A. Bloomfield, Seamister Place, entertained at an evening in honor of her daughter, Clarice, fiancée of First-Lt. Irving J. Chaykin. Present were: Misses Esther Wolff, and June O'Farrell, who poured; and Shirley Kerner, Frances Schwartz, Freda Tessler, Anne Barbis, Gertrude Adelman, Rhea Shane, Esther Martin, Catherine McVicker, Louise Bouchard, Regina Langsom, Toba Lesser, Bernice Myerson, Elisabeth Lamoureux, Jean Wilson, Roberta Richardson, Lily Goldman; Joy Bloomfield, sister of the bride-elect; and Mrs. Morton Flom.

Mrs. Charles A. Bloomfield, Seamister Place, gave an evening party in honor of the engagement of her daughter, Clarice, to Lieut. Irving J. Chaykin, U.S.A.A.C., of Brooklyn, N.Y., who is stationed at West Palm Beach, Florida. Guests were: Mesdames L. Berman, R. Donner, J. Druker, H. Grover, W. Myerson, H. Cohen, M. Cohen, D. Goldstein, B. Brenner, H. Baum, A. Teany, H. Allen, M. Rosentzveig, I. Ornstein, H. Spector, H. Schneider, S. Bloomfield, M. Bloomfield, and I. Shuster; and Misses Marjorie Ornstein and Beverley Spector. Mesdames I. Shuster and S. Bloomfield, cousins of the bride-elect, poured tea.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Simon, McGregor Avenue, left to spend a month at Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Mrs. Fanny Greenberg, Ridgewood Road, spent a few days at Lac Brule.

Mrs. Maurice Robinson, Stanley Street, left for Cuba.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Silver, Montrose Avenue, left for Cuba.

Mrs. M. Ein, of Buffalo, N.Y., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Riven, Bonavista Avenue.

Mrs. Jack Victor, Thornhill Place, is in Florida.

Mrs. L. Samuels, of Toronto, Ont., returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam. Cowan, Grosvenor Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lowinson, Sherbrooke Street West, spent ten days in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Wolfe, Lincoln Avenue, have gone to Waterbury, Vermont.

Dr. and Mrs. David Raff, and family, Murray Hill Avenue, were at Lac Brule.

Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Feldman, Sherbrooke Street West, have returned from Atlantic City.

Miss Ruth Bass, of New York, and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Glazer, Barclay Avenue, for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolphe Gardner, Grovehill Place, are spending a holiday at Waterbury, Vermont.

Mrs. H. Livinson, Queen Mary Road, left for a two-week's visit in New York, and to stay for two weeks in Lakewood, N.J.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Carlinsky, Kingston Avenue, are leaving on a two-month trip to Detroit, Mich.; Chicago, Ill.; California, and Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Friedman, Marlowe Avenue, entertained at a dinner party in honor of the latter's brother, Lieutenant-Colonel David Rothschild.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolphe Gardner, Grovehill Place, entertained at a cocktail party, in honor of their niece, Miss Phyllis Edelstone and Captain Ernest Shapiro, of Quebec, who are to be married on March 19.

Mrs. Charles A. Bloomfield, Seamister Place, entertained at an evening in honor of her daughter, Clarice, fiancée of First-Lt. Irving J. Chaykin. Present were: Misses Esther Wolff, and June O'Farrell, who poured; and Shirley Kerner, Frances Schwartz, Freda Tessler, Anne Barbis, Gertrude Adelman, Rhea Shane, Esther Martin, Catherine McVicker, Louise Bouchard, Regina Langsom, Toba Lesser, Bernice Myerson, Elisabeth Lamoureux, Jean Wilson, Roberta Richardson, Lily Goldman; Joy Bloomfield, sister of the bride-elect; and Mrs. Morton Flom.

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Social Notes—Montreal

Misses Rae and Sadie Shore, Laval Avenue, were hostesses at a dinner presentation of a china cigarette box and two ash-trays, in honor of Miss Anne Caplan, fiancée of Moe Stavies, and a bride-elect of February 17.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Cohen, Champagneur Avenue, entertained at a dinner, with about seventy-five guests, at the Mount Royal Hotel in honor of the engagement of their daughter, Lillian, fiancée of Leslie G. Brodkin, and a bride-elect of June 9.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Cohen, Champagneur Avenue, entertained at a dinner with the immediate family, at the Normandie Roof, Mount Royal Hotel, in honor of the engagement of their daughter, Miriam, fiancée of Herbert Bercovits, and a bride-elect of October 20.

Mesdames M. Ratner, Park Avenue; A. Feaner, Dunlop Avenue; and P. Meyerovitch, Groveneer Avenue, were hostesses at a luncheon at the Mount Royal Hotel, with about one hundred guests, in honor of their niece, Miss Lillian Cohen, fiancee of Leslie G. Brodkin, and a bride-elect of June 9.

Miss Sylvia Stavies, Esplanade Avenue, was hostess at a [illegible] in honor of Miss Anne Caplan, Park Avenue, fiancée of Moe Stavies, Esplanade Avenue, and bride-elect of February 17. Miss Stavies wore a green printed dress, with black accessories; and Miss Caplan, a powder-blue crepe suit, with black accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Sommer, 107 Laurier Avenue East, held open house on the return of their youngest son, Gnr. Larry Sommer, R. C. A., after serving with the Canadian Army in England, France, Belgium, Holland, and Germany; and also in honor of their eldest son, Adolphe, and his fiancée, Miss Ida Karasik, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Karasik, 4096 City Hall Avenue.

Pte. David Barmash, R.C.A.S.C., son of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Barmash, 156 Bagg Avenue, arrived home on the Aquitania, after three years' overseas. A private bus and cars brought relatives and friends to the station. Supper was served to seventy-five guests and open house was held for four days and evenings. Gifts, flowers, and telegrams were received. Mr. Barmash is a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. A. Grill, Esplanade Avenue.

Mrs. Fred Kraus, Park Avenue, entertained five guests at luncheon at Eaton's in honor of Miss Anne Caplan, Park Avenue, fiancés of Moe Stavies, Esplanade Avenue, and bride-elect of February 17. The honoree was presented with a china floral centrepiece. Mrs. Kraus wore a gray crepe dress, with black accessories; and Miss Caplan, a black crepe dress, with print trimming and black accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Baum, 5203 Durocher Avenue, entertained the immediate family at a dinner in honor of their nephews, Pte. Lawrence Gorman, R.C.R., and Pte. Gerald Gorman, R.M.R., both having returned after three years' service in England, Italy, Belgium, Holland, and Germany. Mrs. Baum held open house for relatives and friends. L. Gorman, father of the honored guests, assisted in receiving.

Private Sydney Fishman, R. C. A., and Mrs. Fishman, [illegible] on the completion of [illegible] three years' overseas service in England, France, Holland, Belgium, and Germany. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Fishman, St. Lawrence Boulevard, and the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. H. Cooperman, 4649 St. Urbain Street. Mrs. Fishman held open house in her husband's honor, receiving about seventy-five guests. She wore a printed jersey dress. Assisting in serving were: her mother, Mrs. B. Cooperman; Mrs. L. Cooper, a sister-in-law; and Mrs. D. Hoppenheim. From out-of-town were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Cooperman, of Sherbrooke, Mr. Fishman's brother-in-law and sister-in-law.

Mrs. Joseph Shulkin, Lajoie Avenue, entertained at a tea, with fifteen guests, in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs Harry Middleman, of Edmonton, Alta., who is visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. A. Middleman, Colonial Avenue, having come to greet her husband, Pte. Harry Middleman, who returned on the Queen Elizabeth from overseas service in England. Mrs. Nathan Gandall, sister of the hostess, assisted in serving. The honored guest was presented with a silver tray and a silver relish dish. Mrs. Shulkin wore a dusty-pink hostess gown, with a gold belt and rhinestone buckle, and gold and rhinestone earrings; Mrs. Gandall, a blue flower-print dress; Mrs. A. Middleman, Pte. Middleman's mother, a flowered print crepe dress; and the honored guest wore a light-blue crepe dress, with a pink flowered hat.

Mr. and Mrs. M. DeZwirek, 5825 Esplanade Avenue, celebrated the bar-mitzvah of their son, Bernard, who was called to the Reading of the Torah at Chevra Kadisha Synagogue. There was a party for Bernard's friends in the afternoon and a dinner dance the following evening. The thirteen couples who participated in the ceremony were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry DeZwirek and Mr. and Mrs. I. Rolbin, grandparents of the bar-mitzvah; Mr. and Mrs. A. Gordon, godparents; Louis DeZwirek and Miss Rose DeZwirek, uncle and aunt; Mr. and Mrs. Al. Rolbin, and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rolbin, uncles and aunts; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. DeZwirek, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. H. DeZwirek, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Silverman, Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Freedland, Mr. and Mrs. L. Rubin, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Solomon; followed by the bar-mitzvah, his parents, his brother, Edward Richard DeZwirek, carrying a Talith on a cushion. Each couple carried a flag and candle. Each woman lit one candle on the bar-mitzvah cake. The tables were decorated with centrepieces of roses, irises, and carnations, and a birthday cake. Mrs. M. DeZwirek, mother of the bar-mitzvah, wore a dinner gown of Paddy-green crepe, trimmed with gold, and a corsage of yellow roses; Mrs. H. DeZwirek, his grandmother, a navy-blue dress, and a corsage of red roses; Mrs. I. Rolbin, his other grandmother, a gray dress, and corsage of red roses; Mrs. H. Nelson, his great-aunt, a black dress, and corsage of red roses; Miss Rose DeZwirek, his aunt, turquoise-blue, and corsage of red roses; Mrs. Al. Rolbin, a cocktail dress of black, with green and gold lace trimming, and corsage of yellow roses; Mrs. S. Rolbin, a black cocktail dress, trimmed with gold, and a corsage of yellow roses. Bernard and Edward were dressed alike in gray-blue suits and white shirts. The birthday cake was white, trimmed with pale blue and pink roses with silver leaves, and an open prayer-book in white and blue; and blue candles. Others present were: Rabbi H. Atchman, Mr. and Mrs. I. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. W. Blidner, Mr. and Mrs. I. Brigger, Mr. and Mrs. M. Carson, Leo and Moe Carson, Mr. and Mrs. Max Crelinsten, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Crelinsten, Mr. and Mrs. A. Crelinsten, Mr. and Mrs. E. Crelinsten, Mr. and Mrs. S. DeZwirek, Miss Lilly DeZwirek, Mr. and Mrs. S. Donaldson, Miss Annie Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. M. Frankel, Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Freedland and daughter, Marsha; Mr. and Mrs. J. Gordon, L. Gordon, Miss Anita Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. H. Goldenberg, Mr. and Mrs. J. Goldman, Mr. and Mrs. I. Goldman, A. Goldman, Mr. and Mrs. B. Hamilton, Miss Annette Halppen, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. D. Huberman, Mrs. J. Kaufman, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lipsey, Louis Mellowitz, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Modell and son, Louis; Miss Helen Neiman, L. Gottheil, B. Nusselman, Mr. and Mrs. B. Operfield, Mr. and Mrs. O. Osborg, Mr. and Mrs. W. Paul, Mr. and Mrs. I. Ram, Mr. and Mrs. M. Rolbin, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rajcek, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stamberry, Dr. and Mrs. D. Saibil, Mr. and Mrs. S. Shatsky, Mr. and Mrs. P. Tasgal, Mr. and Mrs. H. Vent, Mrs. Henry Westrich and son, Albert; Mr. and Mrs. S. Wertzel; and Mrs. H. Nelson, aunt of M. DeZwirek, of Stamford, Conn.

Herbert Rose, 4980 Coronet Avenue, Montreal, sings the role of Old Adam in "Ruddigore" at Victoria Hall, February 18, 19, 20 and 21, in the presentation by the Lyric Operatic Society in aid of the Notre Dame de Grace Library for Boys and Girls. Mr. Rose has done work with the Montreal Repertory Theatre; Canadian Broadcasting Corporation work in Rupert Caplan productions, and serial-work over station CFCF.

Cantor Otto Staeren, of New York, will assume his duties as Cantor of Temple Emanu-El, in Montreal, on Friday, February 15. Mr. Staeren was educated in Vienna, Austria, and followed an operatic and concert career through Central Europe. He was Cantor of the Central Synagogue, Rockville Centre, Long Island, N. Y., and of Congregation Bnai Jeshurun, Paterson, N.J. He recently returned from active service overseas with the United States Army.

Montreal Meetings

● WOMEN'S MIZRACHI: Young Women's Chapter met at the home of Mrs. D. Zuckerman, 552 Dollard Avenue; Aviv Chapter, at headquarters, Mrs. A. Braunstein, hostess. On February 19, Devora Brucha Schwartzben Chapter will meet on February 19, at headquarters, Mrs. L. Slapak, hostess; Senior Mizrachi, at the home of Mrs. J. Halickman, 1272 Van Horne Avenue, at 2.30 p.m.; Sally Pinkelstein, at the home of Mrs. L. Shapiro, 212 Bernard Avenue West; Solomon Avigdor Lieff, at the home of Mrs. J. Deitcher, 287 Querbes Avenue.

● LAURENTIAN Camp Juniors: Annual dance is on February 17, at 7 p.m., at the Normandie Roof, Mount Royal Hotel. Additional subscribers are: Mr. and Mrs. E. Sabbath, Mr. and Mrs. S. Nadigel, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kushner, Mr. and Mrs. S. Weintraub, Mr. and Mrs. N. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. M. Israel, Mr. and Mrs. M. Finegold, Mr. and Mrs. N. Gold, Mr. and Mrs. N. Malomet, Mr. and Mrs. L. Mendelman, Mr. and Mrs. B. Margolese, Mr. and Mrs. M. Goldberg, Mr. and Mrs. N. Sorkin, Mr. and Mrs. B. Abelson, Mr. and Mrs. L. Weinstein, Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiseck, Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Shapiro, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bloom, Mr. and Mrs. S. Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Bronfman, Mr. and Mrs. S. Penner, Mr. and Mrs. A. Rosenstein, Mr. and Mrs. M. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. R. Gold, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Rolbin, Mr. and Mrs. A. Ballington, Mr. and Mrs. A. Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. P. Caplin, Mr. and Mrs. M. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. S. Dalfen, Mr. and Mrs. C. Golt, Mr. and Mrs. S. Saltzman, Mr. and Mrs. B. Cosman, Mr. and Mrs. M. Paperman, Mr. and Mrs. M. Beamer, Mr. and Mrs. S. Gould, Mr. and Mrs. M. Gruber, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hyman, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cutler, Mr. and Mrs. L. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. G. Margolis, Mr. and Mrs. N. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. J. Randman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Fogul, Mr. and Mrs. L. Rosenfeld, Mr. and Mrs. S. Yaffe, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ulrich, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rapkin, Mr. and Mrs. H. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. G. Greenfield, Mr. and Mrs. M. Kraunow, Mr. and Mrs. H. Zarr, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Freedman, Mr. and Mrs. S. Lazarus, Mr. and Mrs. M. Spiegleman, Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Wertman, Mr. and Mrs. L. Barkowitz, Mr. and Mrs. N. Roskies, Mr. and Mrs. B. Weiner, Mr. and Mrs. A. Ruddy, Mr. and Mrs. A. [illegible], Mrs. G. Bloom, Mr. and Mrs. A. Shulman, Mr. and Mrs. E. Levy, Mr. and Mrs. A. Segal, Mr. and Mrs. B. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. S. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. L. Zimmerman, Mr. and Mrs. S. Dworkin, Mr. and Mrs. N. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. L. Sendel, Dr. and Mrs. J. Lande, Mr. and Mrs. H. Herscovitch, Mr. and Mrs. N. Locker, Mr. and Mrs. H. Shaffran, Mr. and Mrs. S. Richstone, Mr. and Mrs. M. Caplan. Mrs. Cecil Vineberg is president; Mrs. Jack Fox, chairman of arrangements; Mrs. E. Abramowitz, in charge of tickets. Proceeds of the dance go towards a station wagon for the camp.

● BUKOVINA Farband Ladies' Auxiliary gave a money shower with Mesdames M. Wolman, S. Scherzer, I. Rudich, S. Bley, N. Colenberg, S. Smith, G. Aron, A. Sperling, J. Panoff, J. Hoffer, S. Kahn, C. Dankner, M. Abrahams, H. Yellin, S. Schwartz, V. Bell, R. Solomon, I. Shey, M. Addes, C. Cohn, N. Hubner, M. Steinberg, R. Stein, R. Shmelzer as hostesses.

● RED CROSS, 1942 Victory Unit: Mrs. J. Bercovitz, 5620 St. Urbain Street, was hostess at a meeting and continental, and was thanked by Mrs. S. Ballon, a guest. Mrs. B. Shugar collected dues and donations. Mrs. S. Vengroff, president was chairman. Members present were: Mesdames A. Bernstein, Abe Cohen, J. Fishman, J. Goodlin, H. Levine, A. Levine, Alec Pinsky, J. Pencer, Sima Rabinovitch, S. Rosen, B. Slapkoff, J. Vertlieb. Guests present were: Mesdames E. Goufman, M. Shernafsky, S. Kirsch, D. Adesky, M. Altman, L. Zimmerman, J. Shar, N. Gottlieb, S. Shapiro, S. Vineberg, L. Frank.

● NORTH END Vilkomirer Ladies' Auxiliary board meeting was at the home of Mrs. M. Kirsch, president, 790 Bloomfield Avenue. Mrs. P. Bubis won the raffle donated by the hostess. Mrs. A. Grill presided. Present were: Mesdames J. Ghilaig, E. Goldstein, D. Tasher, J. Kirshenberg, H. Lesser, M. Firestone, M. Slagner, F. Anapolsky, A. Glazer, I. Signer, J. Goretsky, H. Turner, H. Bochner, B. Hannon, S. Levine, I. Weinstein, L. Shufman.

● BNAI BRITH Mount Royal Women's Auxiliary No. 257 will hold its nomination meeting on Thursday, February 21, at 8.30 p.m., at the Mount Royal Hotel. Mrs. H. S. Miller is [illegible]

[illegible] versity, will be special speaker; choral selections, Hillel Choral Group; radio play, "Samson and Delilah", direction of Gerald Charness, with: Brocha Caplan, Gerald Charness, Arthur Germaise, Roland King, as cast.

● BETH DAVID Sisterhood meeting is on Wednesday, February 20, at 8:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. H. Finaman, 6323 de Vimy Avenue.

● SHAARE ZION Synagogue Sisterhood heard as guest speaker, Mrs. A. Genser, public relations chairman of Bnai Brith Lodge Women's Auxiliary, on "We Jews In Canada". Mrs. D. Blustein gave readings on Jewish poetry. Hostesses were: Mesdames L. Stotland, I. Gurberg, M. Kanigsberg. Sisterhood is co-operating in the sale of tickets for "Ruddigore", by the Lyric Operatic Society, in aid Notre Dame de Grace Library for Boys and Girls.

● A conference of Jewish organizations will be held at the Jewish People's Schools, 5210 Waverley Street, on Sunday morning, February 24, for the Moess Chittin drive. Saul Hayes, national exec-

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ENGAGEMENTS

The engagement of Thelma, daughter of Mrs. D. Shugar, 1256 Fort Street, and the late Mr. Shugar, to Sam. Moscovitch, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Moscovitch, 4129 Esplanade Avenue, is announced, the marriage to take place on May 1, at Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue.

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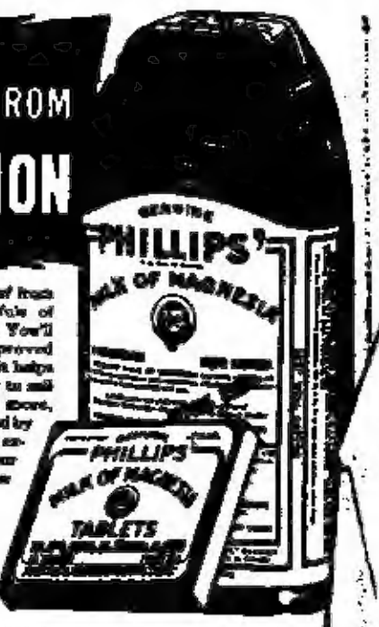

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• S. Wiengert, 1120 Bernard Avenue West, who collected nearly $30,000 for the Queen's Canadian Fund before it closed at the end of 1945, through the sale of postcards of the Montreal West Town Hall, is in receipt of a letter from the British Consulate in Miami, Florida, in the name of Mr. Churchill, former Prime Minister of [illegible]. The letter says in part: [illegible] "the generosity of the Canadian people."

• UNITED TALMUD TORAHS of Montreal Inc.: Parent-Teachers Association meets on Wednesday, February 20, at 8.15 p.m., at the Hebrew Educational Institute. Instructors of the Academy who will participate in the theme, "School Problems For The Modern Parent", are: chairman, M. Magid; "The Home Library", Miss Hannah B. Hyams; "Repeaters", A. Rosen; "Reading A Report", Miss Florence Garmaise; "Physical Training", H. B. Hoffman; "Lunch At School", Miss Estabelle Gaffin; "Planning Assemblies", Leon Krosin. Social hour. Parents will discuss problems with their childrens' teachers, and inspect classrooms. Talmud Torah Brotherhood monthly meeting will hear M. J. Mendelsohn speak on "The Housing Outlook", on Wednesday, February 20, at 8.15. I. R. Prasoff, chairman, Program Committee, will preside. Discussion.

• Notre Dame de Grace Library for Boys and Girls: Presentation of "Knaidigers", by the Lyric Operatic Society, in aid of the library, at Victoria Hall, continuing on February 18, 19, 20, 21, Includes Henry Bloom and Herbert Rose in the cast. Subscribers include: Mr. and Mrs. Lionel J. Shine, Mrs. Morris Taff, Mr. and Mrs. B. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. A. Arbess, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Brown, Mesdames L. B. Goodman, Nathan Freedman, Harry Weistein, Jack Bruck, I. Beinhaker, Miss Jeanette Goldwater, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rosenthal, Mr. and Mrs. C. Rosenbek, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Newman. Tickets from Willis and Company, 1220 St. Catherine Street West; or M. A. Brown, 1200 Peel Street.

• ZIONIST Order Habonim presents Dr. Benjamin Akzin, speaking on "The Foreign Policy Of Zionism" on Monday, February 18, 8:30 p.m., in Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue. Formerly foreign affairs specialist on the President's War Refugee Board, he has joined the American Zionist Emergency Council in a consultative capacity dealing mainly with political matters.

• JEWISH GENERAL Hospital was honoured by a visit of Her Royal Highness, the Princess Alice, Countess of Athlone, honourary patroness of the Women's Auxiliary. She was welcomed by Mrs. Allen Goldbloom, president of the Auxiliary; Allan Bronfman, president of the hospital; S. S. Cohen, superintendent, who all made an inspection of the hospital, accompanied by Dr. A. Goldbloom and Miss Amy Mendels, superintendent of nurses. At tea, served by the Auxiliary, Mrs. Allan Bronfman poured.

• TEMPLE EMANU-EL, Dr. H. J. Stern, Rabbi: Services, Friday, February 15, at 8:15, Lecture: "Vindication And Triumph", commemorating the publication of Theodor Herzl's "Jewish State", fifty years ago; Saturday, February 16 at 11:30, sermonette. Cantor Otto Staaren, newly-appointed Cantor, who returned from active overseas' service with the United States Army, will sing at services this Friday evening, with the [illegible] Friday evening after services. Hostesses: Mesdames Arthur Mason, J. N. Neumann, B. Joseph, M. Arnovits, L. Geller, H. Stern, H. Lewis, J. Easton, H. Pickleman, H. Robinson, J. Freedman, C. J. Gordon, G. Hollinger, W. Carin, L. Rubenstein, S. Blumenthal. "North American Relations" will be the theme of the Consul General of the United States, North Winship, who will address the nineteenth Brotherhood annual fellowship dinner meeting between Catholics, Jews, and Protestants, on Wednesday, February 20, at 6:45 at the Community House. Cantor Otto Staaren will be soloist, accompanied by the organist, Mrs. Edna Marie Hawkin. Every member is invited to bring a non-Jewish friend as a guest. Conveners: Samuel Paperman, Jack Freedman. Child Study and Parent Education group meets on February 19, at 2:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. J. D. Easton, 4903 Lacombe Avenue; guest speaker, Mrs. E. Hobart, of St. George's Progressive School, on "Creative Play Activities For The Pre-School Child." Mrs. H. Joshua Stern will preside. Chairman of program, Mrs. Alfred Miller.

• HOSPITAL OF HOPE Council of the Units elected: Mrs. S. Cohen, president; Mesdames A. Feldman, J. Isaen, M. Pinsky, S. Maxin, H. A. Docks, H. Oberfield, S. Caplan, P. W. Cohen. Mrs. J. R. Bogantz, who had previously resigned as president of the Council of the Units, was elected as honorary president for life. Representatives of all Units will meet on February 20, at 2:30 p.m., at 4466 St. Lawrence Boulevard, to nominate three members for each Board of Administration and Board of Trustees of the Hospital. Election on February 27, at 2:30 p.m. Unit meeting on Monday, February 18, at 8.00 p.m., is: Tikvah, at the home of Mrs. Adolphe Singer, 755 Davaar Avenue, social. Units meeting on Tuesday, at 8:00 p.m., are: Sara B. Stein, at the home of Mrs. H. Reinhart, 5889 Park Avenue; J. Mandelson, at the home of Mrs. S. Shalemson, 5417 St. Urbain Street; Mordecai Baker, at the home of Mrs. S. J. Schwartz, 865 Dollard Avenue; Yoisef Pinsky, at the home of Mrs. C. Fish, 2011 Ontario Street East; Chaim Revsen Junior, at the home of Mrs. B. Schneiderman, 4172 Clark Street. At 2:30 p.m.: I. J. Borrin, at the home of Mrs. H. Boltin, 4636 Esplanade Avenue; Henry Shuster, at the home of Mrs. M. Levine, 2630 Van Horne Avenue, social. On Wednesday, at 8.00 p.m.: Mordecai Baker Unit, annual bridge, at Bnai Jacob Synagogue, conveners, Mesdames S. Mazin, M. Goldberg, M. Lithwack; Pearl Kahansky, at the home of Mrs. J. Leibovitch, 250 Lansdowne Avenue; Moishe Aron Berlin, at the home of Mrs. H. Herscovitch, 881 Dollard Avenue; Fraid, at the home of Mrs. M. Rosen, 1577 Ducharme Avenue; Fidelis, at the home of Mrs. Charles Segall, 791 Davaar Avenue, business meeting; Hebrew Victory Club, at the home of Mrs. W. Kahansky, 5410 Esplanade Avenue. At 8:30 p.m.: N.D.G., at the home of Mrs. I. Rubenstein, 2290 Old Orchard Avenue. On Thursday, at 8:00 p.m.: Marsha Shlamovitch, at the home of Mrs. M. Mandelsyn, 1227 St. Catherine Road; Chaim Revsen, at the home of Mrs. S. Brownstein, 5323 St. Urbain Street.

• SYRA LONG SPEARS Memorial Fund monthly meeting, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Long, 5444 Clark Street, had present also: Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Long, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Long, Mr. and Mrs. David Gulden, Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Nadler, Mr. and Mrs. Gus. Lang, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Davine, Mrs. Samuel Pockrass, Miss Faigy Long, Irving Edelberg, Ben. Weinstock, M. J. Long. Next meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pockrass, 5635 Park Avenue, on Sunday evening, March 5.

• SHAAR HASHOMAYIM Synagogue, Dr. H. Abramowitz, Rabbi: Joel Rubinovich, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Rubinovich, will be called to the Reading of the Torah in celebration of his bar-mitzvah, on Saturday. Open meeting and social of the Parent-Teachers' Association, on February 20, presents Dr. E. C. Powell, principal of Lachine High School, on "The Place Of Home And School Associations In The Community." Chairman will be N. W. Jacobs, K. C., president of the Association. Public invited. Public lecture, on Thursday, March 7, will be given by Dr. Miles L. Bohanan, [illegible] the Synagogue Council of America. He will be guest preacher on March 9. Junior Congregation services were conducted by: Cyril Berlin, Ronald Cape, Arthur Freedman, Charles Solomon, S. J. Leibowitz, Herbert Sibbin, Joan Strean, Stanley Abbey, Myron Douglas Cohen, Aaron Gelber, Brahm Hyams, Mortimer, Leibovitch, Anams, Mortimer Leibovitch, Anthony Shine.

• HADASSAH Chapter meeting on Sunday, February 17, at 7.30, is: Emek Israel Chapter, dinner meeting at 1956 St. Lawrence Boulevard. Proceeds for Youth Aliyah. A Palestine film will be shown. Friends invited. Mrs. D. Greenberg, president, will preside. Chapters meeting Monday, at 2.30, are: Adath Israel, bridge and continental, at the home of Mrs. H. Gaffin, 798 Champagneur Avenue; Hebrew lesson at 1.30; Central, at the home of Mrs. L. Guttman, 4229 Esplanade Avenue; Kadimah, at the home of Mrs. L. Dunn, 433 St. Joseph Boulevard West; Migdol, at the home of Mrs. G. Albright, 4965 Fulton Avenue; North End, at the home of Mrs. S. Levin, 5335 Duquette Avenue; Queen Esther, at the home of Mrs. S. Yellin, 5319 St. Urbain Street; Rachel Anna Leavy, at the home of Mrs. Leah Schachter, 5479 Hutchison Street; Rachel Levinson, at Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue, Mrs. L. Alexander, hostess; Mrs. L. Miller, guest speaker. Chapters meeting Monday, at 8.30, are: Deborah, at the home of Mrs. L. Schechter, 210 Willowdale Avenue; Dora Shiller, at the home of Mrs. H. K. Nadler, 3818 Kent Avenue; Edith Hanigsberg, at the home of Mrs. J. Pearsno, 1619 Van Horne Avenue; Esther Rachel Naverich, at the home of Mrs. Anna Pinsuoff, 4413 Esplanade Avenue; Miriam Brainin Ortenberg, at the home of Mrs. S. Perel, 4315 Esplanade Avenue; Mrs. L. Berman will entertain with humorous readings. Chapter meeting Tuesday, at 8.30, is: Shoshana, at the home of Mrs. H. Lupovich, 896 Mount Royal Avenue West. Chapters meeting Tuesday, at 8.30, are: Judith, at the home of Mrs. A. Weber, 5331 Jeanne Mance Street), Mrs. H. Singer, guest speaker; Mary Hinda Bernstein, at the home of Miss S. Hyner, 243 Laurier Avenue West. Chapter meeting Monday, at 8.30, is: Shaar Hashomayim Chapter, at the home of Mrs. George Strean, 656 Lansdowne Avenue; Mrs. M. A. Brown will speak on the Zionist Convention, and the raffle will be drawn; Emes Israel, at the home of Mrs. A. Schwartz, 5412 Jeanne Mance Street; Henrietta Szold, at the home of Mrs. M. Cayne, 6114 Victoria Avenue, Mrs. M. Mc-

Mutual Life President

Louis L. Lang,
President of The Mutual Life of Canada, who addressed the 76th annual meeting of policyholders, held at Waterloo, on Thursday, February 7.

Cutcheon, guest speaker. Nair Tamid Chapter dinner and get-together is on Sunday, February 17, at 7.00 p.m., at the Spanish and Portuguese Synagogue. Program. The president, Mrs. B. Rochwerg, will preside. At the wedding supper of Miss Laura Schwartz and George Kalmanovitch, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Schwartz, 5169 Park Avenue, $36 was raised for trees in the new Canadian Hadassah Forest at Maole Hahamisha, in Palestine. The appeal was made by Mrs. I. Kasitsky, of Eta Cohen Chapter. Mr. and Mrs. Kalmanovitch, 5138 Park Avenue, were married on December 23, at the Spanish and Portuguese Synagogue.

• SIGMA DELTA TAU Sorority, Iota Chapter, McGill University, held initiation ceremonies in the convention room of the Mount Royal Hotel, followed by a dinner for the sorority members, and a formal dance. Initiated were: Misses Joan Abbey, Mary Barsky, Rita Bercovitz, Greta Blanshay, Roslyn Cohen, Sorryl Cohen; Suzanne H. Cohen, Victoria Avenue; Jacqueline Druckman, Rhea Engel, Sybil Freedman, Fanny Glassman, Florence Gold, Irma Kandestin, Lea Margulies, Sylvia Marks, Myra Mendelsohn, Shirley Mendelsohn, Paula Mendelson, Bernice Perits, Lebe Posner, Glorianne Schwartz, Barbara Schwartz, Sylvia Shiff, Miss Dorothy Pinsbrow, president, who was toastmaster; Riva Leibovitch, Tamar M. Shine, Vivian Fine, a member of the executive; Phyllis Joseph, of Quebec City; Rachelle Silverman, Laura Kaplan, Sheila Abbey, who was pledge-mother; Mrs. William Joseph, formerly Miss Frances Tencer; and Mrs. Jack Greenwood, formerly Miss Marion Levine. Others on the executive are Misses Anita Fochs and Myra Lazara. Assisting Miss Abbey, as pledge-mother, was Miss Pola Faerman. Miss Phyllis Joseph, of Quebec, a graduate of the University, and Dr. Hertzel Rotenberg, of Detroit, Mich., were present at the dance.

• WOMEN'S Social Service Organization is holding their twelfth annual donor luncheon at the Normandie Roof, Mount Royal Hotel, on February 26. Israel Libman, violinist, pupil of Joseph Berljawsky, will be accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Frances Bornstein Botner. The guest speaker is Captain L. A. Weintraub, Jewish chaplain of M.D. 4, on: "Current And Undercurrent Events In Jewish History." Partial list of subscribers: Mesdames M. Ancel, S. Alrod, A. Ballington, S. Bornstein, S. Brown, B. Brownstein, J. Cape, L. Cantor, W. Carson, S. Charney, H. Cohen, H. Cohen, J. Cohen, M. Cohen, M. Cooper, D. Costen, D. Deitcher, B. Eidle, S. Eisenberg, C. Endleman, M. Fink, G. Freeman, H. Freedman, J. Friedman, M. Glaser, E. Handman, M. Handman, H. Hanaber, H. Herman, L. Herman, H. W. Hollinger, L. Holtzman, M. Hornstein, J. Jussfo, S. Josephson, R. Kantrakin, M. Kartchin, B. Krackover, W. Kushner, J. Laing, L. Lebofsky, J. Lafelle, S. Levine, G. Levitan, S. Magil, M. Maklan, A. Marcovits, S. Menaker, D. Mendel, A. Miller, H. Miller, A. Mouckley, J. Nadler, M. Periman, S. Raicek, H. Rosenbaum, L. Rosenstone, D. Rutenberg, P. Sandberg, J. Scharf, S. Schneiderman, S. Schwartz, P. Seidman, R. Seigler, H. Shapiro, I. Shapiro, S. Shragovitch, L. Solomon, M. Siblin, M. B. Solomon, H. Strauer, S. Tessler, J. Tietelman, B. Tristar, C. Waitzah, S. Waitzah, J. Warhaft, B. Weiner, L. Wallis, M. B. Wiseman, M. Zatz, I. Miller, Sol. Schwartz.

• BETH MOISHE Synagogue Ladies' Auxiliary monthly social, at the synagogue, 5617 Park Avenue, had Mrs. B. Talisman, president, as chairman. Miss Phyllis Defoela played the accordion, and was thanked by Mrs. Talisman; B. Jarvis sang, and was thanked by Mrs. E. Tager. Louis K. Weiner, president of the congregation, introduced the guest speaker, B. Diamond, who was thanked by Mrs. S. Schaefer. Proceeds were $57. The hostesses, Mrs. Louis K. Weiner and Mrs. J. Cohen, were thanked by Mrs. S. Rohr. Next meeting at the synagogue, on February 19, Mrs. B. Talisman, hostess.

• NATIONAL COUNCIL of Jewish Juniors social is on Monday, February 18, at 8.00 p.m., in the Queen's Hotel. Refreshments. Bring playing cards. Reservations with Misses Hennie Blackman, LA. 2355; Ruth Miller, TA. 1208. Miss Marilyn Matts is president.

• ALANTHE TEMPLE No. 1, Pythian Sisters Installed: Mesdames Myer Kirsch, Lewis Freelander, S. S. Segal, M. Bernkopf.

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MARRIAGES

DAVIDOVITCH-SEIDLITZ

The marriage of Miss Elaine Esther Seidlitz, daughter of Mrs. H. A. Silverman, 6852 Park Avenue, and of S. Seidlitz, of Vancouver, B.C., to Edward, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Davidovitch, 715 Querbes Avenue, took place at Chevra Kadisha Synagogue, on December 30, at half-past six o'clock, Rabbi C. Denburg officiating. Given in marriage by Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Silverman, the bride wore a mid-Victorian gown of white brocaded satin, fashioned with a net yoke, trimmed with [illegible], long sleeves, fitted [illegible] a hoop skirt, ending in a [illegible] long white tulle veil, [illegible] to her mother, was bordered with lace, and fell from a crown of seed pearls; and she carried a white Bible, with two orchids. Miss Rita Kirshner, cousin of the bride, as maid of honor, wore a gown of lavender net, with a satin bodice, and matching hat, and carried yellow roses. The junior bridesmaids, Leona Seidlitz, sister of the bride, in a peach-colored gown and matching hat; Estherella Bromberg, cousin of the bride, in powder-blue taffeta and matching hat; Frances Davidovitch, niece of the groom, in a violet-colored gown and matching bonnet-shaped hat; and Eleanor Fox, niece of the groom, in turquoise-blue taffeta, and matching bonnet-shaped hat, all carried nosegays of variegated flowers. The flower girls, Patricia Lee Fox, niece of the groom, in dusty-rose taffeta and matching bonnet; and Gloria Davidovitch, niece of the groom, in pale pink taffeta and matching bonnet, carried nosegays. Simon Davidovitch, brother of the groom, was best man. Norman Leonard Fox, nephew of the groom, in full dress suit, was page boy. White ribbons marked the aisles, and the hall was decorated with candelabra, and stands of flowers. "Reginae" was sung. Mrs. Silverman, mother of the bride, received in a black crepe gown, trimmed with gold braid, on the shoulders and peplum; and black hat, trimmed with black and gold sequins, black veil and accessories, and a corsage of yellow roses; with Mrs. Davidovitch, mother of the groom, in a deep purple crepe gown, trimmed with white beads, in a bolero [illegible]; matching feather hat and [illegible] and corsage of Tea roses. The couple spent a two-week honeymoon in New York, the bride travelling in a powder-blue suit, black chiffon blouse, black accessories, Hudson seal coat, and black and white [illegible]

SIMONS-COHEN

The marriage of Miss Helen Cohen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Cohen, 2864 Bolsaona Avenue, to Alex, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Smolar, 80 Laurier Avenue West, took place at Chevra Kadisha Synagogue, on Sunday, February 3, at six o'clock, Rabbi C. Denburg officiating. Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a white satin gown, fashioned with a sweetheart neckline, fitted bodice, and a full skirt ending in a long train. Her veil was held by a white satin headdress, trimmed with beading, and draped into a long flowing train, and she carried a white satin muff, covered with orchids. Mrs. Mayer Rose, sister of the bride, was matron of honor in a floor-length gown of blue lace over blue satin, long matching gloves, and a small blue net hat, and carried a blue satin muff, covered with American Beauty roses. Samuel Smolar was best man for his brother, and Jerry Steinberg, nephew of the bride, was page boy. His sister, Elaine Steinberg, as flower girl, wore a long blue taffeta frock, trimmed with pink ribbons, and a head-piece of pink ribbons and carnations, and carried a small pink satin muff, covered with matching carnations. Mrs. Cohen, mother of the bride, received in a long black crepe gown, with a jewelled belt, long black gloves, and a corsage of pink roses; with Mrs. Smolar, mother of the groom, in a black lama gown, with black accessories, and a corsage of red roses. The bridal couple are spending their honeymoon in New York, the bride travelling in an American Beauty red suit, and muskrat coat, with black accessories, and a corsage of orchids. Out-of-town guests were: Mrs. Harry Grotsky, of Philadelphia, Pa.; and Julius Rayner, of Toronto, Ont.

SNAIDER-FLEISHER

The marriage of Sylvia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fleisher, 1939 Edler Avenue, Bronx, N.Y., to Nathan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Snaider, 4625 Esplanade Avenue, took place in the Imperial Gardens, in New York, on January 12, at eight o'clock, Reverend Morton I. Mashioff officiating, assisted by an all-boy choir. Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a long white satin gown, fashioned with a sheer yoke, drop shoulders, long sleeves, peplum, bustle in the back, and a long train. Her finger-tip veil fell from wax flowers on each side of her head, and she carried a Bible trimmed with white orchids. Miss Louise Lomita, of New York, as maid of honor, wore a gown of ice-blue satin and net, fashioned with drop shoulders, and two silver straps; and a blue veil, falling from a silver sequin crown, and carried an old-fashioned bouquet of roses and lace. The bridesmaids, all of New York, were: Misses Josephine Brancati, in pink net, with blue bows around the hem, and a matching Juliet cap; Gloria Gandelman, in pink net, with a sweetheart neckline, and large balloon sleeves, and a pink flower headdress; Claire Brown, in pink net, with a sweetheart neckline, and pink flowers in her hair; and Jeanne Abramson, in a rainbow-colored taffeta gown, and a black velvet bow in her hair. They carried old-fashioned bouquets of roses and lace. Sheila Snaider, sister of the groom, was flower girl, in a long lemon-colored gown, and matching ribbon in her hair, and carried red roses. Louis Fleisher, brother of the bride, was best man, and the ush[illegible] [illegible] and the aisles were marked off with baskets of flowers. A seven-piece orchestra played for dancing. The head table was centred with a wedding cake. Mrs. Fleisher mother of the bride, received in an aquamarine-blue gown, with gold sequin flowers in her hair, and a corsage of red roses; with Mrs. Snaider, mother of the groom, in a black gown, with a sequin top, and a corsage of red roses. The bride and groom spent their honeymoon in New York. After the wedding the bride changed to a powder-blue suit, grey hat, and a black Persian lamb coat. They will spend three months in Montreal and will return to New York to take up residence.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Bloomfield, Beaminster Place, announce the engagement of their daughter, Clarice, to First Lieut. Irving J. Chaykin, U.S.A.A.C., son of David Chaykin, of Brooklyn, N.Y. Miss Bloomfield, a graduate of the Newark Beth Israel School of Nursing, class of 1943, is associated with the Jewish General Hospital, in Montreal. Lieut. Chaykin, an alumnus of the College of the City of New York and of the New York University Graduating School of Business, was matriculating for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy at the New York University Graduate School of Education, prior to entrance in the armed forces. He is stationed at Morrison Field, West Palm Beach, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Cohen, Champagneur Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miriam, to Herbert Barcovitz, son of Mrs. M. Barcovitz, Ridgewood Drive, and the late M. Barcovitz, the wedding to take place on October 20, at Adath Israel Synagogue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Cohen, Champagneur Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lillian, to Leslie G. Brodkin, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. Brodkin, Roslyn Avenue, the wedding to take place on June 9, at the Mount Royal Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Shane, Laurier Avenue West, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Bessie, to Moe, only son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Kirstein, Laval Avenue, the wedding to take place on June 11, at Shaare Zion Synagogue.

Mrs. H. Rabin, 5094 Victoria Avenue, announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Rena Rabin, to Nathan Wolfe, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Wolfe, 4002 Michel-Biband Street, the marriage to take place at the Montefiore Club on March 28. Mr. Wolfe, formerly a corporal with the Sherbrooke Fusiliers, served for three years in England, Holland, France, and Belgium.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Goldbach, Esplanade Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Pearl, to Merrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Merovitz, Dorchester Avenue, the wedding to take place on April 8, at Chevra Kadisha Synagogue.

The engagement of Miss Ruth Zalniker, daughter of Mrs. I. Zalniker, Lajoie Avenue, and the late I. Zalniker, to Albert, son of Mrs. M. Pallatt, Prince Arthur Street East, and the late M. Pallatt, is announced, the wedding to take place on April 6, at Beth David Synagogue.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sinanfsky, Clark Street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lily, to Sydney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Bass, Bloomfield Avenue.

BIRTHS

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer Greenberg (nee Mary Langer), Van Horne Avenue, a son, Howard, brother of Barry, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 8. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. Langer, Waverley Street; and Mr. and Mrs. Z. Greenberg, Vendome Avenue. Godparents are Miss Thelma Langer, Waverley Street; and Samuel Conever, de Bullion Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schneider (nee Rose Lansky), Esplanade Avenue, a son, Stanley Donald, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 5. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. Lansky, St. Urbain Street; and Mr. and Mrs. H. Schneider, Esplanade Avenue, who are the godparents.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. B. Zucker (nee Bertha Snyder), Sherbrooke Street West, a daughter, Sherryl, sister of Howard, at the Women's General Hospital, on January 4. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. Snyder, St. Urbain Street; and Mr. and Mrs. L. Zucker, of Poland.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. Keess (nee Celia Pearson, Colonial Avenue, a daughter, Ethel Rhoda, sister of Hannah, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 1; granddaughter of M. Pearson, Jeanne Mance Street, and the late Mrs. M. Pearson; and of the late Mr. and Mrs. M. Keess, of Montreal.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. Raphael (nee Evlyn Shane), 144 Evans Street, a son, Lawrence David, at the Woman's General Hospital, on January 7; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Shane, Willowdale Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. H. Raphael, Berri Street; great-grandson of David Tinkleman, of Philadelphia, Pa. Godparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. Rosen, Coronet Avenue.

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To the Shareholders

Gentlemen,

Your Directors have pleasure in presenting the Ninety-Ninth Annual Report of the affairs of the Bank, and the result of its operations for the year ending December 31, 1945.

The net profits for the year were $429,884.84, and the balance brought forward from last year's Undivided Profits Account was $588,303.76, making a total of $977,188.60. From this amount quarterly dividends have been paid to the Shareholders and — apart from the sum of $9,575.65, interest on the Charity Donation Fund, which was allocated as usual — the Bank distributed $14,250.00 to various charitable and philanthropic institutions. $300,000.00 has been transferred to the Reserve Fund, bringing the latter to $3,750,000.00 and leaving a balance at the credit of Undivided Profits Account of $134,048.60, to be carried forward to next year.

With deep regret — a feeling which I am sure is shared by all — we have to record the death, during the year, of two of our Directors.

Mr. M. Arthur Plaxton, a Director for the past fourteen years and Vice-President of the Bank since 1943, died on the 1st of October. Eminent in his profession as a barrister, a man of sound judgment and fine personality, he was everywhere held in high esteem.

Mr. Paul Amos, a Director for almost eight years, died on August 1st. An expert in the management of Estates, Mr. Amos was noted for his great kindliness and his broad practical knowledge of affairs in general.

To fill the vacancies thus created, Mr. Guy Vanier has been elected Vice-President, and Messrs. Jean C. LaDamantet T. Taggart Smyth, Directors.

As usual, a frequent and thorough inspection of the books and assets of the Bank has been made during the year.

The report of the Auditors and the Balance Sheet are herewith submitted.

D. A. HINGSTON,
President.

GENERAL STATEMENT
DECEMBER 31st, 1945

LIABILITIES

To the Public:		
Deposits bearing interest, including interest accrued to date	$109,438,303.47	
Deposits not bearing interest	1,732,441.80	
Charity Donation Fund	100,000.00	
Other Liabilities	1,409,366.99	
		$112,679,812.26
To the Shareholders:		
Capital Stock	$ 3,000,000.00	
Reserve Fund	3,750,000.00	
Balance of Profits carried forward	134,048.60	
Dividends unclaimed	1,400.00	
Dividend payable January 2nd, 1946	70,000.00	
		$ 3,955,448.60
		$116,635,260.86

ASSETS

Cash on hand and in Chartered Banks	$ 5,899,729.79	
Dominion and Provincial Government Bonds	69,388,511.20	
Canadian Municipal and School Corporation bonds and Debentures	36,346,797.21	
Bonds of Canadian Public Utilities Corporations	6,776,287.50	
Sundry Securities	267,200.00	
Call and Short Loans, secured by collateral	4,000,844.74	
Loans to Fabriques de Paroisses or to Religious Corporations	93,000.00	
Charity Donation Fund, invested in Dominion and Canadian Municipal Securities approved by the Dominion Government	100,000.00	
		$127,779,419.44
Bank premises (Head Office and Branches)	$ 1,000,000.00	
Other Assets	111,843.36	
		$ 1,111,843.36
		$128,891,262.80

On behalf of the Board,
D. A. HINGSTON,
President.

T. TAGGART SMYTH,
General Manager.

Social Notes — Toronto

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Mrs. J. Moranis, Lauder Avenue, and her daughter, Mrs. David Eisen, were hostesses at a tea in honour of the former's niece, Miss Freda Schwartz daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Schwartz, Wembley Road, whose marriage to Irving Schwartz, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Schwartz, of Los Angeles, Calif., formerly of Toronto, takes place in March. Receiving the guests were: Mrs. Moranis, in a navy blue dress, with an inset of rose-coloured lace; Mrs. Eisen, in black crepe, with a pearl necklace; Mrs. B. Schwartz, mother of the bride-elect, in black crepe, with white trimming; and the honoree, in black crepe, with a corsage of gardenias and ostrich feathers. Those who assisted were: Mesdames Julius Moranis, A. Dalgoff, G. Gordon, and J. Freedman, and Misses Anne Baker, Ruth Elkind, Betty Smith, and Lila Weisbrod. The tea table, set with a hand-made lace cloth held a centrepiece of white chrysanthemums, pink roses, and pink snapdragons, with lighted pink tapers. About one hundred guests were present, among them Mrs. Sarah Galt, of Philadelphia, Pa., grandmother of the bride-elect.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Greisdorf, 107 Grace Street, were hosts at a dinner and reception in honour of the bar-mitzvah of their son, Allan. About ninety guests were received by Mr. and Mrs. Greisdorf, the latter wearing black crepe, trimmed with sequins, and a corsage of Talisman roses. Also receiving were the bar-mitzvah's grandparents, Mrs. I. Sandler, Augusta Avenue, in black crepe, with a corsage of American Beauty roses; and Mr. and Mrs. H. Greisdorf, Grace Street, the latter wearing black crepe, trimmed with silver sequins, and a corsage of American Beauty roses. M. Sandler, uncle of the bar-mitzvah, acted as toastmaster. Taking part in the candle-lighting ceremony with the bar-mitzvah boy, his parents and grandparents, were his uncles and aunts: M. Greisdorf, Miss Bess Sandler, Harry Greisdorf, Mrs. M. Sandler, L. Sandler, Mrs. L. Hassel, and S. Lubotsky, and the last candle was lit by the bar-mitzvah's sister, Elaine Lyla, age three and one-half years, who wore a turquoise-blue silk jersey dress, with rose-coloured smocking, a rose-coloured ribbon in her hair, and matching socks, and sang "Happy Birthday". S. Forman, the bar-mitzvah's teacher, spoke, and was presented with a gift on behalf of the parents by Jack Greisdorf. Mrs. M. Greisdorf spoke on behalf of the aunts.

Mrs. Dora Aaron, 231 Huron Street, held open house in honour of the return from overseas of her sons, Alex and Joseph, who served with Canadian Military Headquarters in England. Mrs. Aaron received the guests, wearing a printed silk dress, with a corsage of roses and baby's breath; and was assisted by her daughter, Miss Mildred Aaron, in a printed silk dress, with a corsage of roses. The house was decorated with flowers, and blue and white streamers. About one hundred and fifty guests called.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Wornov, 566 Queen Street West, announced the engagement of their youngest daughter, Beatrice, to Nathan Kapus, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Kapus, 335 Queen Street West, at a dinner and reception at Murray House. Mrs. Wornov, in black crepe, with a corsage of red roses, was assisted by Mrs. Kapus, mother of the groom-elect, in grey crepe, with a corsage of red roses. The honoree wore a black dress, with lime-green trimming, and a corsage of pink and white roses. Max Sherman acted as toastmaster. About seventy guests were present.

Honouring Mrs. Leonard Kay, who was Miss Margaret Bigelow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Bigelow, of Cochrane, Miss Yetta Bergman, Edward Street, entertained at a miscellaneous shower at the home of Miss Stella Miller, Dupont Street. The honoree wore a shepherd's plaid suit, with a brown satin blouse, and the hostess wore a black draped skirt with a fuchsia-coloured sequinned blouse. Miss Stella Miller assisted, and Mrs. R. Miller poured tea for: Mesdames B. Shapiro, F. Ehrlich, I. Warlow, and Misses Ruby Orlinsky, Margaret Halford, Mabel Morton, Shirley Samuels, Ida Sochet, Marjory Bondie, Frances Ruskin, Helen Wallace, and Evelyn Senel.

Mrs. M. Salem, 191 Baldwin Street, entertained at a dinner at Murray House in honour of her future daughter-in-law, Miss Frances Alter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Alter, Beatrice Street, whose marriage to Louis Salem takes place on March 10. The hostess wore a black brocaded dress trimmed with gold, and a corsage of tea roses; and the honoree wore powder-blue crepe, with a corsage of white carnations. Her mother, Mrs. H. Alter, wore royal-blue crepe, trimmed with sequins, and a corsage of Tea roses. Assisting were Mrs. Salem's daughters, Mrs. F. Seiden, in black satin, with a corsage of Talisman roses; and Miss Ettie Salem, in black and white crepe, with an orchid in her hair. About seventy guests were present, among them Mrs. M. Alter, of Dunnville.

Entertaining in honour of Miss Sylvia Gerry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gerry, Montrose Avenue, prior to her marriage to Mannie Davidson, Mrs. Leo Gerry and Miss Molly Gerry gave a personal shower at their home, 24 Montrose Avenue, with thirty guests present. Mrs. Gerry wore red crepe; Miss Molly Gerry, blue crepe; and the honoree, a mauve wool dress, with black trimming. Mrs. L. Davidson, Robert Street, mother of the groom-elect, gave a miscellaneous shower, with one hundred guests present. Mrs. Davidson was in black crepe, assisted by Mrs. Joseph Gerry, mother of the bride-elect, in fuchsia-coloured crepe, the honoree wearing shocking-pink velvet, with a corsage of pink roses. Mesdames A. Harris, A. Miller, and B. Laytner entertained at an evening presentation of a hand-carved tray, at the former's home, Crawford Street, the honoree wearing a black and lime-green crepe dress. Miss Ruth Gillman, College Street, was hostess at dinner and theatre and presentation of a crocheted tablecloth. Miss Gillman was in green wool, and the honoree wore blue and black crepe.

TORONTO MARRIAGES

ZELSMAN-COLOMBY

The marriage of Minnie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Colomby, 38 Wells Street, to Leonard Zelsman, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Zelsman, 226 Rosemary Road, took place on Thursday, January 27, at a candlelight ceremony, at Goel Tzedec Synagogue, Rabbi J. Washer officiating, assisted by Cantor H. Bornstein. The altar was decorated with white chrysanthemums, pink snapdragons, and ferns. The bride was given in marriage by her parents. She wore a gown of white satin, trimmed with seed pearls, fashioned with dropped shoulder neckline, appliqued peplum and bustle, and bouffant skirt, finishing in a long train. Her veil of tulle illusion was held by a matching scalloped headdress, trimmed with a white satin rose, and she carried a Bible with two white orchids and streamers of bouvardia. Miss Ruth Belmont attended the bride as maid of honour, in a gown of aquamarine-blue crepe, with a headdress of ostrich plumes, and carried a nosegay of yellow and white carnations. The bridesmaids, Misses Patty Wise, Lillian Posner, Thelma Sunshine, and Mrs. E. Zelsman, were gowned alike in cerise-coloured crepe, with matching headdresses of ostrich plumes, and carried nosegays of pink and white carnations. Frances Zelsman, sister of the groom, as junior bridesmaid, wore a gown of ice-blue taffeta, with a hoop skirt, and matching feathers in her hair, and carried a nosegay of pink and white carnations. Marvin Zelsman attended his brother as best man, and the ushers were: Robert Colomby, Larry Colomby, Edward Zelsman, Marvin Gord, Sydney Roth, Murray Colomby, and Murray Posner. During the ceremony, Ben. Perlove sang "Always". At the King Edward Hotel, the bride's mother, Mrs. Colomby, received in a pale blue gown, with matching gloves; blue and fuchsia-coloured flowered hat, and a corsage of sweetheart roses. The groom's mother, Mrs. Zelsman, wore a dove-blue crepe gown, a hat of pink ostrich plumes, matching pink gloves, and a corsage of pink carnations. The bride and groom left for a wedding trip to New York, the bride travelling in a coral-coloured wool suit, and a sable coat, with grey accessories, and a corsage of white orchids. They will reside in Toronto. Out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. M. Frumkin, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frumkin, Mrs. S. Frumkin, and Mrs. M. Glovitz, all of New York; Mr. and Mrs. A. Weinger, of Buffalo, N.Y.; Mrs. Anna Voen, of Hartford, Conn.; Mrs. S. Pearl, and Miss Sophie Pearl, of Detroit, Mich.

STOUN-CADESKY

The marriage of Sylvia, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cadesky, of Mount Forest, to Lieutenant Colonel Meyer J. Stoun, U. S. Army, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stoun, of Tampa, Florida, took place on Saturday, January 26, in Cincinnati, Ohio. The bride and groom had as their only attendants the groom's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Milton S. Gertman, of Cincinnati. The bride and groom left on their wedding trip to Florida, the bride travelling in a beige gabardine suit, with a blue coat, trimmed with beaver, and matching beaver hat, lizard accessories, and a corsage of yellow orchids. They will take up residence in Cincinnati. The bride, who graduated from the University of Toronto, with Bachelor of Arts degree in languages, received a scholarship to Ohio State University, at Columbus, for post-graduate work in the department of German, and was then offered a teaching position on the University staff. While at the University of Toronto, she received a special award for outstanding contributions to college life. She is a member of Alpha Epsilon Phi Sorority. A pianist and singer, she studied at St. Mary's Convent and St. Xavier's Convent in Chicago, Ill., and at the Toronto Conservatory of Music, and had her own program, "Sylvia Sings", over station C.F.R.B. Toronto. For the past several months, she has had her own program on station W.L.W., Cincinnati. Lieutenant Colonel Stoun is a graduate of the University of Florida, at Gainesville, where he received his Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration. He did graduate work at Clemson College, in South Carolina; and the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, at Auburn. Also a musician, Lieutenant Colonel Stoun attended the Cincinnati College of Music. Prior to entering the service in 1942, Lieutenant Colonel Stoun was Administrative Assistant to the State Price Executive Officer for the Office of Price Administration, in Jacksonville, Florida.

ROSENSTEIN-MINTZ

The marriage of Mildred, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mintz, 261 Vaughan Road, to Private First Class Arthur Rosenstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rosenstein, of Paterson, N.J., took place on November 22, at half-past six o'clock, at Temple Emanuel, in Paterson, N.J., Rabbi Reuben Kaufman officiating, assisted by Cantor Martin Adolf. The altar was decorated with flowers and ferns, and the candlelight ceremony was performed under a canopy of chrysanthemums and foliage. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white satin, fashioned with long sleeves, a fitted bodice, with marquisette yoke, edged with heirloom lace, lowered waistline, trimmed with matching lace, and a full skirt, falling in a long train. Her full-length rose point veil was caught to a lace coronet, and she carried an ivory Bible, covered with white orchids. The matron of honour, Mrs. Bernice Metz Rosenstein, of Fair Lawn, N.J., wore a gown of pale blue mousseline de soie, with matching headdress, and carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses. The best man was Corporal Stanley Rosenstein, brother of the groom, and the ushers were: Louis Immerman, Irving Shawin, and Sherwood Metz, of Fair Lawn, N.J.; Jack Lesaman and Morris Blacker, of Paterson, N.J.; and Eugene Gold, of Brooklyn, N.Y. A reception followed in the Temple ballroom. Mrs. Mintz, the bride's mother, received in a lilac-coloured crepe gown, trimmed with sequins, and a corsage of orchids. The groom's mother, Mrs. Rosenstein, wore a navy gown, trimmed with a jewel-embroidered girdle, and a corsage of orchids. For the wedding trip, the bride wore a grey wool dress, with a high jewelled neckline, and a grey lamb coat, with brown alligator bag and brown accessories. The bride and groom are living in Petersburg, Va., and will take up permanent residence in Paterson. Out-of-town guests were: Mrs. L. Mintz, grandmother of the bride, and Mrs. Louis Williams, of Kingston; Mr. and Mrs. H. Mintz, of Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. David Mintz and daughter, Arlene, of Newark, N.J.; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mintz, of Brooklyn, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Max Plizner, Mr. and Mrs. I. Giller, Mrs. A. Bluestein, Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Silverberg, all of Bronx, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. K. Weinrot and son, Allen; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mintz, Mr. and Mrs. B. Mintz, and Mrs. Minnie Weinberg, all of Toronto.

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APPROACHING MARRIAGES

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Arenovitch, [illegible] Road, to Leon, son of Mrs. D. Arenovitch, Hutchison Street, and the late Mr. Arenovitch, the marriage to take place on Sunday, March 31, at Beth David Synagogue.

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ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin J. Walker, 4268 Westmount Avenue, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Barbara Carol, to Lenard M. Shavick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Shavick, of Paterson, N.J. Miss Walker is a graduate of Wheaton College, Norton, Mass. Mr. Shavick, formerly an ensign, U.S.N.R., served in the Pacific theatre of war for a year and a half, and is a student at the John Marshall Law School in New Jersey. He attended the New York Military Academy at Cornwall, and is a graduate of Lafayette College, Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Waxman, Durocher Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Frances, to Herbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Goodis, Jeanne Mance Street, the wedding to take place on September 15, at Beth David Synagogue.

The engagement of Roberta Barbara, only daughter of Mrs. Malca Shvemar, Duquette Avenue, to Jerry Feigelman, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Feigelman, Esplanade Avenue, is announced, the wedding to take place on June 30, at Shaare Zion Synagogue.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Gitelman, Querbes Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Frances, to Samuel David, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sherr, Laval Avenue, the wedding to take place on November 24, at Beth David Synagogue.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Rotenberg, Querbes Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marcia, to Henry, son of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]

Councillor and Mrs. Max Seigler, Glencairn Road, announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Esther, to Jack Isidore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schubert, Queen Mary Road, the wedding to take place the latter part of June.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mendelson, St. Joseph Boulevard West, announce the engagement of their younger daughter, Esther, to Benjamin, son of Reverend Rothlatt and Mrs. H. Rothlatt, Esplanade Avenue, the wedding to take place on March 19, at Beth David Synagogue. Mr. Rothlatt served with the R.C.A.F. for four years.

The engagement of Edith Fay, daughter of Rabbi J. L. Colton, 4867 Esplanade Avenue, and the late Mrs. Colton, to Emil Schechter, of Toronto, Ont., son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Jacob Schechter, is announced.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Katz, of Cornwall, Ont., announce the engagement of their daughter, Stella, to Lloyd Feine, only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Feine, of New York. Mr. Feine returned from overseas after serving with the U.S. Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham H. Horowitz, of New York, announce the engagement of their daughter, Vivienne, to Major Norman Siegel, Chaplain in the Army of the United States. Miss Horowitz, is a graduate of Brooklyn College; attended the Teachers' Institute of Jewish Theological Seminary of America for five years; and a member of Junior Misrachi. Major Siegel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Siegel, of Baltimore, Maryland. He graduated from Yeshiva College, and was ordained by the Isaac Elchanan Theological Seminary. He was Rabbi of the Jewish Centre, of Monticello, N.Y.; and left his pulpit to become a chaplain in the U.S. Army, having served for the past five years, including forty-three months in the Pacific area. Major Siegel was executive officer of the Chaplains' Section, Central Pacific Base Com[illegible] [illegible] of all faiths. He is now on terminal leave from the Army and has accepted the position of Rabbi of Congregation Beth Israel, of New Orleans, Louisiana. The wedding takes place in New York in June.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Rubin, Esplanade Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sarah, to Jack, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Baumholtz, Royal Avenue. Mr. Baumholtz returned from overseas where he served for fifty-five months.

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DEATHS

Harnet Blicher, aged seventy-seven, died at his home, 4479 Esplanade Avenue, on January 31, after a lengthy illness. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Fanny Dvorin Blicher; two sons, Joseph, Mac, of New York; one daughter, Mrs. H. Firestone (Leah); six grandchildren, Mrs. J. Borrin, Bernard Blicher, Harold Blicher, Maurice Firestone, Miss Joyce Blicher, Leslie Blicher; two great-grandchildren, Melvin Barry Borrin, Beverley Ann Blicher; one sister, Mrs. M. Wack; and three brothers, Isadore, of New York; Harry, of Miami, Florida; and Samuel Blicher, of New Jersey. Barnet Blicher was born in Warsaw, Poland, and spent some time in London, England, before making his permanent residence in Montreal, in 1908. He was the founder of the Canadian Hebrew Sick Benefit, in 1909, and was active in many charitable institutions. Funeral took place from Paperman's, Rabbi S. Hershcorn officiating. Burial was in Canadian Sick Benefit Cemetery. Shiva was at the home.

David Brookman died in his sixty-first year, at his home, 56 Laurier Avenue West, on January 28. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Tina Fineberg Brookman; three sons, Saul, Louis, Melvin; three daughters, Mrs. M. Paskall, Mrs. A. Stroll, Miss Beatrice Brookman; seven grandchildren; one brother, William; and three sisters, Mrs. M. Terlesky, Mrs. H. Sapoznoff, and Mrs. J. Zidler, all of Montreal. Funeral took place from Paperman's, Rabbi C. Denburg officiating. Burial was in Bonsecours cemetery. Shiva was at the home of a son, Louis Brookman, 6172 Hutchison Street.

Card Of Thanks

LECKER: We wish to thank all our relatives and friends for the many kind expressions and sympathy extended to us during our recent bereavement in the loss of a beloved mother, Freda Lecker. The family.

The family of the Barnet Blicher wish to thank their kind relatives, friends, and neighbours for their cordial kindness, and to acknowledge kind sympathy and consolation in their sad bereavement. Special mention of thanks to Dr. D. Levitsky, St. Joseph Boulevard West, for his untiring help and his [illegible]

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Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Ash (nee Pearl Morantz), Van Horne Avenue, a son, David Kenneth, brother of Harriet, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 6. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. B. Morantz, Esplanade Avenue; and Mr. and Mrs. J. Ash, Esplanade Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. Dubman (nee Sybil Marchand), Bernard Avenue West, at the Jewish General Hospital, on February 4, a daughter, Karen, sister of Marlene; granddaughter of Henry Marchand, Hutchison Street, and the late Mrs. Leah Marchand; and of Mr. and Mrs. B. Dubman, Clark Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lahrer (nee Ruth Schwartz), 4434 Kent Avenue, a son, Jack Michael, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 18; grandson of Mrs. M. Schwartz, Bernard Avenue West, and the late M. Schwartz; and of Mrs. J. Lahrer, Hutchison Street, and the late J. Lahrer. Godparents are Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hershorn, Belmont Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Moe N. Hoppenheim (nee Rhoda B. Bessner), Mount Royal Avenue East, a daughter, Ann-Marjorie, sister of Howard Barnett, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 13. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. Bessner, Davaar Avenue; and Mr. and Mrs. Max Hoppenheim, St. Urbain Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. Saliasky (nee Esther Plotnick), 4325 Coolbrook Avenue, a son, Gerald, brother of Phyllis, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 15. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. Plotnick, Coolbrook Avenue; and Mr. and Mrs. B. Saliasky, Jeanne Mance Street. Godparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. Saliasky, Barclay Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. L. Kishner (nee Fay R. Herman), 6379 Marquette Street, a son, at the Jewish General Hospital, on February 8; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. Herman, Marquette Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scharf (nee Ruth Strulovitch), 4360 Durocher Avenue, a daughter, Sharon, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 16; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Strulovitch, Colonial Avenue; and of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Scharf; great-granddaughter of Mrs. S. Scharf, of Elizabeth, N. J.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Mendelsohn (nee Anne Greenberg), 2183 Maplewood Avenue, a son, Stephen Murray, at the Woman's General Hospital, on January 16; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. F. Greenberg, Esplanade Avenue; and of the late Mr. and Mrs. S. Mendelsohn. Godparents are Miss Lena Greenberg, Esplanade Avenue; and Lax. Mendelsohn, Clark Street.

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M. H. Keyfetz, Walmer Road, is visiting his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Jacobs, of Batavia, N.Y.

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Mrs. Harry Manheim, Avenue Road, is visiting in Los Angeles, Cal.

Miss Betty Field, Strachan Avenue, has returned after a five-week vacation in Detroit, Mich.; Munroe, Mich.; and Chicago, Ill., where she visited relatives.

Mrs. Blanche Robinson, of Hollywood, Cal., is returning home after spending a month with Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Perlmutter, Spadina Road.

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APPROACHING MARRIAGES

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Weisberg, 112 Baldwin Street, announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Sylvia, to Marvin Lichtenstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Lichtenstein, of Toledo, Ohio, to take place on March 9, at the home of Reverend A. Bernstein, 516 Palmerston Boulevard.

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Harry Barron, Highbourne Road, and Alex Hertzman, Burnside Drive, have returned after a month's vacation in Tucson, Arizona.

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Alan Rosenthal, of Ottawa, formerly of Toronto, left for England and the continent, where he will spend three months working with government research developments. Mrs. Rosenthal has returned to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Greenspon.

George W. Cohen, of Montreal, Que., was a guest at the home of Mrs. I. Centner, Rochester Avenue, for a few days.

Corporal Morton Friedman, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Friedman, Manning Avenue, has returned home after three and one-half years' service in the U. S. Army Air Force, Medical Corps, having received his honourable discharge at Fort Douglas, Utah.

Private First Class Jack Bregman, of Bronx, N.Y., is spending three weeks visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Litman, Palmerston Boulevard.

Mesdames M. Margel, S. Strasberg, and M. Strauch entertained at the former's home, Rusholme Road, in honour of Miss Helen Kirsh, a bride-elect of February 10. Thirty guests were present.

Mrs. D. Atlas, Manning Avenue, gave a dinner, with sixteen guests, in honour of the engagement of her oldest daughter, Rita, to David, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Ennis, Euclid Avenue, whose marriage will take place in June.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Otis, Soudan Avenue, entertained at a birthday party in honour of their daughter, Beverley, aged nine years. Beverley wore a blue velvet dress. The birthday cake, iced in pink, was lettered "Happy Birthday, Beverley".

Mr. and Mrs. M. Climans, 531 Palmerston Boulevard, will be at home on Sunday, February 17, from two to ten o'clock, in honour of their son, Jack, who returned hme after two years' service overseas with the R.C.A.F. No cards are being sent out.

Mrs. M. Goodman and Mrs. S. Waisglass were hostesses at a Tea held at the Murray House, in honour of Miss Rhoda Allen, whose marriage to Harry Waisglass takes [illegible] Mrs. Goodman wore a blue crepe dress, trimmed with sequins; Mrs. Waisglass, a black dress in crepe, trimmed with sequins; and the bride-elect was dressed in a black bengaline suit. Twenty-five guests were present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Goldstein, 69 Humber Trail, held open house in honour of their son, Harry, who returned home after serving overseas for two years. Mrs. Goldstein received in a wine-coloured crepe dress, with matching flowers in her hair. The tea table, set with a green damask cloth, held a centrepiece of American Beauty roses, lighted tapers in crystal holders, and two welcome-home cakes. H. Sussman and H. Bayer assisted. About one hundred and twenty-five guests were present.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Dick, Whitmore Avenue, were at home in honour of their son, Leading Aircraftman Fred Dick, R. C. A. F., who returned home after two years' service overseas in Belgium, Holland, and France. Mrs. Dick received the guests in a black crepe afternoon dress. The tea table, set with a cut-work lace cloth, was decorated with a welcome-home cake, a centrepiece of floral china, and lighted tapers in china holders. Assisting were Misses Ella Zaretsky, Sylvia Zaretsky, and Sylvia Zippin. About two hundred and fifty guests called.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Kamin, Havelock Street, gave a birthday party in honour of their son, Jules, aged two years. Mrs. Kamin wore a green velveteen dress, and Jules wore a light and dark blue woollen suit. Present were: his grandmother, Mrs. R. Wachter, Leonard Avenue; Mr. and Mrs. W. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. S. Nissenbaum, Mr. and Mrs. B. Giblon, Mr. and Mrs. M. Greenspan, Mrs. N. Wagner, Miss Beulah Kamin; and Gela and Myra Goldbar, Susanne Greenspan, Rosalyn Giblon, Sheldon Wagner, Shirley Miller, and Norman Nissenbaum.

A farewell party at the home of Miss Florence Green, Indian Road Crescent, honoured Miss Dorothy (Debby) Feldman, Clinton Street, who is leaving to enter Beth Israel Hospital, in Newark, N.J., for nurse's training. Misses Renee Dellinger, Ruby Feldman, Belle Rutman, Marilyn Krakauer, Norma Goldstein, Becky Rigberg, Lillian Bilts, Ethel Gary, Frances Pressman, Eunice Garshowitz; and Isidore Weinstock, Harvey Rochman, Paul Greenbloom, Harold Alexman, Ben. Band, Harry Freman, A. Weingarten, Samuel Hershenhorn, Robert Desenhouse, Ben. Gladstone, Sidney Traub, and M. Allen were there.

Mrs. H. D. Rudolph, Montrose Avenue, was hostess at a personal shower at Murray House in honour of her sister-in-law, Miss Estelle Rudolph, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Rudolph, Oxford Street, and fiancée of Sidney Troster, a bride-elect of May 16. The hostess wore a black crepe dress, with pearls, and a corsage of red roses; Mrs. P. Rudolph, mother of the bride-elect, black crepe, with a corsage of red roses; Mrs. J. Troster, mother of the groom-elect, grey silk jersey, with a corsage of red roses; and the honouree wore black crepe, with a corsage of pink roses. Assisting were: Mrs. A. Craigman, Mrs. H. Getler, and Misses Sue and Tillie Getler. About forty-two guests were present.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bell, Manning Avenue, entertained at a family dinner in honour of the engagement of their youngest daughter, Irene, to Nathan Henick, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Henick, Sussex Street. Mrs. Bell wore a two-piece dress with a [illegible] crepe skirt; Mrs. Henick, mother of the groom-elect, wore printed crepe, with a draped bodice; and the honoree, black crepe, with a draped skirt. Assisting were Mrs. Bell's daughters, Mesdames Jack Goldman, M. Reid, and D. Steinhaur. The table, set with a lace cloth, held a centrepiece of daffodils and snapdragons, and white tapers in crystal holders. Thirty guests were present, among them Mr. and Mrs. N. Seaman, of Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Sandar, Palmerston Avenue, were hosts at a party in honour of the sixteenth birthday of their daughter, Reva, who wore a black crepe dress, with coloured sequins in a floral design at the shoulder, and a corsage of mixed roses in her hair. Present were: Marilyn Rosen, Sylvia Belz, Diane Green, Rose Wolf, Lillian Feldman, Bernice Weisberg, Beatrice Waxman, Veronica Cohen, Gillie Grossman, Helen Musicar, Ida Ichelson, Eve Diamond, Beatrice Diamond, Beatrice DeDanko; and Samuel Diamond, David Goldstein, Allan Goldbar, Harold Munchnick, Irving Millgrom, Jack Crangle, Marvin Mitchell, Sidney Shrott, Elliot Huffman, Samuel Mandel, Harold Forman, Murray Bettle, Ted Sherman, Sidney Rubinoff, Harry Sander, Aaron Horowitz, and Louis Abrams.

Those who entertained in honour of Mrs. David Goodman, formerly Miss Pearl Applebaum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Applebaum, 46 Yarmouth Gardens, were: Mrs. J. Marcus, at tea at the Arcadian Court, and theatre; Mrs. C. Troster, luncheon at Murray House; Mrs. M. Zaidman, tea at Arcadian Court; Miss Norma Herman, luncheon at Georgian Room; Mrs. M. Mandel, tea at Arcadian Court; Misses Leye Kortsman and Bertha Tittal, tea at Arcadian Court; Mrs. S. Goodman, luncheon at the Primrose Club; Miss Ida Cait, luncheon; Mrs. M. Saunders, tea at Arcadian Court; Mrs. S. Olyan, dinner and evening; Mrs. J. Rosen, evening; Mrs. J. Gotfrid, tea at Arcadian Court; Misses Jeanette Cohen, Helen Rotman, and Rose Chelin, tea at Arcadian Court; Mrs. G. Trimble, luncheon at Chudleigh House; and Mrs. Ben. Goodman, tea at Arcadian Court.

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At the 75th annual meeting of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada held Tuesday, the review of the company's business during 1945 indicated a year of marked progress. The total assurances now in force stand at an all-time high of $2,390,000,000, and the new business secured during the year consisted of more than $213,600,000 ordinary business, together with nearly $28,000,000 of group assurance the combined total of $241 million being the largest amount of new business reported by any Canadian company. Payments for the year to policyholders and beneficiaries were $90,226,000, bringing the total paid since organization of $1,800,672,000. Arthur B. Wood, president and managing director, announced a new scale of dividends to policyholders, in which most plans will receive substantial increases.

Mr. Wood presented an interesting story of the company's developments since 1871, the year in which its first policy was issued. He referred to the continuous improvement and increasing liberality of policy contracts over the years, and how the Sun Life was the first to introduce, in 1880, a world-wide unconditional policy. "All restrictions, prohibitions and limitations were eliminated," said Mr. Wood, "and in their place a simple clause was inserted, stating that the assured may reside anywhere and may engage in any occupation." Attended by favorable experience, this liberalization soon came into general use.

"The record of life assurance," said Mr. Wood, "is one to which we may point with pride and satisfaction as an outstanding achievement under the present economic system where keen competition prevails. It affords an effective answer to any who advocate replacing our system of life assurance by one to be operated by the Government."

Mr. Wood said that the rapid growth of the company in the first half of the present century had been due in large measure to the international character of its operations. Its business today is distributed as follows: 32% in Canada, 40% in the United States, 23% in Great Britan and other British countries, and 6% in foreign countries.

Dealing with 1945 operations, Mr. Wood said that total [illegible] during the year were $133,1[illegible] an increase of nearly $16 [illegible] over the previous year. The income from all sources reached the record figure of $218,372,690, an increase of $94,563,314. Included in the income was $26,911,237 consisting of amounts left with the company by policyholders and beneficiaries under various privileges and alternative methods of settlement.

BIRTHS

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. David Grossman (nee Marion Jacobs), 595 Shaw Street, at Mount Sinai Hospital, on February 2, a son, Lawrence Manus, brother of Samuel. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M. Minkin, Richmond Street West; and Mr. and Mrs. M. Grossman, Brunswick Avenue.

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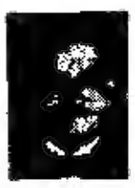

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TORONTO MEETINGS

● ZIONIST Organization Youth Division for Youth Aliyah held their opening dinner at the Zionist Building, George Kimmelstein presiding. M. Kramer, of the Senior Division, reported that $5,000 was raised by the Youth Division. Club 41 presented a check, the proceeds of a variety show. William Zimmerman, who recently returned from Palestine where he served for two and one-half years with the R.C.A.F., was guest speaker, and showed lantern slides taken in Palestine. Conveners for the dinner were: Mrs. M. Levy, Misses Jennie Rosen, Anne Doverson, Julia Smith, Mildred Goldberg, Florence Drutz; Melvin Goldberg, Lionel Starkman.

● HEBREW Men of England Congregation: Breakfast Club elected: Geoffrey Hyde, president; Julius Jossel, Seymour Tobe, Herbert Noble, George Pollack. A discussion on "Illegal Immigration Into Palestine" was led by Rabbi M. J. Burak. Ladies Auxiliary dinner at Murray House, had M. Moscowitz, past president of the Congregation, installing: Mesdames F. Black, president; A. Greenberg, M. Moscowitz, L. Hornick, H. Bell, S. Rosenberg, H. Cohen, R. Katzman. Rabbi M. J. Burak spoke on "The Meaning Of Prayer".

● PIONEER Women's Clubs joint meeting, Mrs. E. Kramer presiding, heard Mrs. S. Weinfield read a paper on the development of the Jewish National Fund, and saw a film on Palestine. Annual donor's concert will be held on March 25, at Eaton Auditorium, with Miss Helen Warren, radio and stage star, who returned from touring Europe with the U.S.O., and Cantor Saul Meizels, of Cleveland, Ohio, as guest artists. Proceeds will go towards the Child Rescue Fund, homes for the rescued, and the Working Women's Council in Palestine for training of women and girls in Palestine, and social services to mothers and children. Hanita Club dance, in conjunction with the donor's concert, is on Wednesday, February 27. Tickets from Mrs. J. E. Kay, convener, Le. 2726. Committee: Mesdames A. Caplan, C. Charles, J. Goldblatt, F. Shuster.

● ZETA Gamma Phi Sorority held their annual formal, with a cocktail party at the home of Miss Libby Goldberg, a dance, and midnight buffet and dancing at the home of Miss Edythe Gordon, on Saturday, February 2. Present were: Misses Doodie Feldt, Edythe Gordon, Ethel Resnick, Libby Goldberg, Beatrice Samual, Lillian Goldstein, Lorraine Goodman, Betty Umansky, Annette Goldstein; and S. Hundert, Samuel Sherman, Robert Gordon, Morton Isen, Kelly Wortsman, Lloyd Singer, Jules Nusbaum, Cecil Davidson, Barnard Goldstein.

● ROKEAH Ladies' Auxiliary annual baby shower in aid of Mount Sinai Hospital Nursery, at Adath Israel Congregation, is on Monday, March 4, 1946. Admission, infant items up to one dollar or cash. Entertainment and cards. Mrs. D. Godfrey is president.

● LINITZER Ladies' Auxiliary met at the Workmen's Circle on Wednesday, January 30, Mrs. J. Lutsky presiding. It was decided to give money to aid refugees in Europe. A gift will be given to officers of the Canadian Jewish Legion for the ceremony they held at the Linitzer Sick Benefit and Ladies' Auxiliary victory banquet. Mrs. L. Resnick, 71 Lyndhurst Avenue, donated refreshments in honour of the marriage of her son, Gordon, to Miss Annette Jacobson. M. Kollins, president, and M. Resnick, past president of the Society, brought greetings. Mrs. S. Capitofsky is secretary.

● PHI DELTA EPSILON Fraternity valentine party chose as "sweetheart" Miss Loretta Goldstone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Goldstone, Concord Avenue.

● BNAI BRITH Women's Auxiliary anniversary dinner, at the Royal York Hotel, on February 28, presents Arnold H. Wallack, of New York, director of anti-defamation of the Eastern District of Bnai Brith, as guest speaker. Mrs. J. Markus is president.

● NORMAN BETHUNE Club, Louis Belfer presiding, decided to sponsor a dance on Sunday, March 24, at the YMHA, proceeds for the 'Y' Memorial Building. Conveners are: Misses Sara Hibloom, Rosalind Benson, Goldie Kleinberg, Al. Sacks, Jack Sood. The Race Relations committee, in conjunction with the Inter-Club Council of the YWHA, will hold an educational movie evening on Monday, March 4, at 44 St. George Street. Samuel Walsh, associate editor of Today magazine, will be guest speaker. Anyone between the ages of twenty-one and thirty may join this club at any meeting at the Brunswick Talmud Torah, every first and third Sunday of the month; or communicate with Miss Doris Hoffmits for information.

● Sir Jeremy Raisman, Leeds-born finance expert, who has served with distinction in executive posts in India, has been elected to a seat on the Board by the directors of Lloyd's Bank, Ltd. Sir Jeremy entered the Indian Civil Service in 1916, and in 1939 was appointed to the 6,000-pounds-a-year post of Finance Member of the Viceroy's Executive Council. He was knighted shortly after, and in 1941 was made a Knight Commander of the Order of the Star of India. His tenure of office expired last April. Sir Jeremy Raisman is a cousin of Montague Raisman, 331 Walmer Road, Toronto, Ont.; and a brother of Louis Raisman, Esplanade Avenue, Montreal; and a cousin of: David Wolfe, Michel-Bibaud Street; Jack Wolfe, Grevehill Place; Louis Wolfe, Bonavista Avenue; Lazarus Wolfe, Lajoie Avenue, all of Montreal; Fred and Ralph Wolfe, of Vancouver, B.C.; Harry Wolfe, of Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Sarah Godfrey, Park Avenue, Montreal; and Mrs. Harry Haase, of Springfield, Mass.

● SINAIS held a social meeting at the Mutual Club, Mrs. B. Cowan presiding. For the annual valentine dance, on February 19, at the Royal York Hotel, patrons will be: Mayor and Mrs. Robert H. Saunders, Rabbi and Mrs. Abraham L. Feinberg, Rabbi and Mrs. David Monson, Rabbi and Mrs. Judah Washer, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Singer, Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Fines, Mrs. Dorothy Dworkin.

● BNAI BRITH LODGE will hear Dr. Jacob Markowitz, who returned from a Japanese prison camp, at the Royal York Hotel, on Monday, February 18. Nominations. Frank Godfrey is president. Nathan Pivnick is newly-appointed executive secretary.

● Y.M.H.A. Ladies' Auxiliary met at Brunswick Talmud Torah, Mrs. G. Handelman presiding. Annual tea in aid of Youth Aliyah will be held at the home of Mrs. L. Schlussel, 168 Spadina Road, on Sunday, February 16, from two to eight p.m.

BIRTHS

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Mayer Teplinsky (nee Dorothy Chinsky), 437 Montrose Avenue, on February 7, at Women's College Hospital, a daughter, Elaine Roslyn. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Chinsky, Taylor Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sinick, of Ellenville, N.Y., (nee Ruth Cohen, of Toronto), on February 4, at Kingston General Hospital, in Kingston, N.Y., a son.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ted Sherman (nee Myne Brandon), 264 Westmount Avenue, at Toronto Western Hospital, on February 6, a daughter, Lynn Risky, sister of Harvey Jerry; grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. A. Brandon, 241 Manning Avenue; and of Mrs. G. Sherman, 164 Brunswick Avenue, and the late H. Sherman.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Mills (nee Gertrude Moskowitz), 417 Crawford Street, at Mount Sinai Hospital, on January 31, a son, brother of Alan. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. B. Moskowitz, 605 Palmerston Boulevard.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Morris Zeldin (nee Mollye Sherman), 165 Strathearn Road, on February 3, at Wellesley Hospital, a son, brother of Gail Diane; grandson of Mrs. Bertha Sherman, 64 Major Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gringorten (nee Jean Sax), 790 Euclid Avenue, at Toronto General Hospital, on February 3, a son, brother of Gerald Stanley. Grandparents are Reverend and Mrs. W. Gringorten, of Sierra Madre, Cal.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beloff (nee Lillian Sonick, formerly of Toronto), 495 Burrows Avenue, Winnipeg, Man.; at St. Boniface Hospital, Winnipeg, on January 28, a daughter, Gloria Fern. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. Sonick, 238 Robert Street; and Mr. and Mrs. A. Beloff, of Winnipeg, Man.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kardish (nee Betty Budish), 341 Northcliffe Boulevard, at Toronto General Hospital, on February 5, a son, brother of Diane. Grandparents are Mrs. R. Budish, 231 Vaughan Road; and Mrs. R. Kardish, 479 Markham Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Irving Applebaum (nee Carolina Rice), 10 Whitmore Avenue, at Toronto General Hospital, on February 8, a daughter, Gail. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rice, 1048 Bathurst Street; and Mr. and Mrs. A. Applebaum, 10 Whitmore Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Kay (nee Betty Klein), 39 Sullivan Street, at Mount Sinai Hospital, on February 2, a daughter, sister of Aubby. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. Klein, Sullivan Street; and Mr. and Mrs. M. Kay, Ryerson Avenue.

All news advertising, and pictures omitted this week due to lack of space, will be run in next week's issue.

Mr. Jack Greenbaum and family wish to express to their many friends their sincere thanks for their many kind remembrances during their recent bereavement.

Montreal Meetings

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tive director of the United Jewish Relief Agencies, says that nearly one million dollars has already been expended by the J.D.C. to provide distressed Jews abroad with their Passover needs, and that in arranging for these shipments overseas, the American J.D.C. counted on the commitment of the Central People's Relief Committee to raise $100,000 for this purpose in Montreal. Two and one-half million pounds of matzohs and other Passover supplies are already on the move, shipped in time to reach refugees in Belgium, Rumania, France, Bulgaria, Turkey. The Jews of Poland will be receiving 500,000 pounds of matzohs, the largest of the shipments made to various lands. Half of the supplies, consisting largely of matzohs, matzoh meal, macaroons and raisins, are being shipped from the United States and the balance will be purchased overseas. A large shipment of matzohs is being sent from Palestine to Russia. Jews in concentration areas in Germany will be receiving matzohs bought in Holland as well as supplies shipped from the United States, and 50,000 litres of Passover wine has been bought by the J.D.C. in Jerusalem for the Jews in France, Germany, and other countries. Shipments have gone to China, Greece, Yugoslavia, Italy, and other areas where refugees are dependent upon the assistance of the J.D.C.

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ASSETS

DOMINION OF CANADA and DOMINION GUARANTEED BONDS, which comprise 56.7% of Total Assets	$152,805,399.93
PROVINCIAL AND MUNICIPAL BONDS, consisting entirely of obligations of Canadian Provinces and Municipalities	35,315,700.75
OTHER BONDS, including Public Utility, Industrial, Institutional, U.S. Treasury and Municipal Bonds	17,537,715.80
STOCKS. These consist of Preferred Stocks of $2,123,134.10 and Common Stocks of $5,265,342.08. The Market Values of Bond and Stock holdings are substantially in excess of the Book Values shown above.	7,388,476.18
MORTGAGE LOANS AND SALE AGREEMENTS, of which 18.3% are loans under the National Housing Act	30,139,749.06
REAL ESTATE, including $600,393.38 for Head Office, at cost, less amounts written off	1,207,028.38
LOANS TO POLICYHOLDERS, fully secured by Cash Surrender Values	18,253,418.29
CASH at Head Office and in Banks	624,909.33
PREMIUMS due but not yet paid; and on a semi-annual, quarterly and monthly basis, where part of the premium for the year remains to be paid (fully secured, because assumed paid in calculating Actuarial Liabilities)	3,395,001.06
ACCRUED INTEREST, representing Interest on Investments, earned but not payable until 1946 (interest overdue not included)	2,494,203.24
PAYMENTS DUE FROM REASSURING COMPANIES for losses or claims paid by the Company	41,475.10
TOTAL ASSETS	$269,560,078.02

LIABILITIES

RESERVE FOR ASSURANCES AND ANNUITIES representing the aggregate actuarial liabilities for contracts in force on December 31, 1945, as required by the Dominion Department of Insurance	$201,765,612.00
INCOMPLETE AND UNREPORTED CLAIMS, including death and disability claims and matured endowments awaiting payment	3,630,175.70
FUNDS ON DEPOSIT, Policy Proceeds, Dividends and Other Amounts left with the Company at interest	37,777,135.02
UNPAID DIVIDENDS, which will be applied to reduce overdue premiums when paid	160,804.33
PREMIUMS AND INTEREST PAID IN ADVANCE	398,469.78
OTHER LIABILITIES, including Provision for Staff Pensions, Unpaid Expenses, Accrued Taxes	4,307,564.13
RESERVE FOR QUINQUENNIAL DIVIDENDS consisting of Dividends accumulated annually and distributed, according to contract, at five-year intervals	97,137.35
DIVIDENDS PAYABLE IN 1946. Full Provision for Dividends payable in 1946, including the Special Dividend of $1,500,000	5,350,000.00
SPECIFIC RESERVE FOR FLUCTUATION IN VALUE OF INVESTMENTS	2,000,000.00
GENERAL INVESTMENT RESERVE	3,500,000.00
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A complete report of the proceedings of the Annual Meeting, held at the Head Office of the Company, Waterloo, Ontario, on Thursday, February 7, 1946, may be obtained from the Head Office or from any of the Company's Branch Offices.

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I wholly disapprove of what you say and will defend to the death your right to say it. — Voltaire to Helvetius.

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Commentaries

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Sanctuaries

"And let them make me a sanctuary that I may dwell among them." (Exodus 25:8)

After their covenant with God at Sinai, our forefathers, while still wandering in the desert were called upon to erect the tabernacle. This portable sanctuary was meant to symbolize that God dwells among His people. And it is significant to observe that every Israelite was granted the privilege of making a voluntary contribution in the construction of the "mishkon". But so anxious were our sires in the building of what was the first synagogue, that the architect complained of the donations that these were too many!

Out of this desert sanctuary came the Mishkon at Shilo and later the magnificent Temple of Solomon. Our sacred literature contains descriptions of the glory in architectural beauty and of the magnificence of the ritual of the first Beth Hamikdosh. The synagogue as we know it in all probability arose in Babylon after the destruction of the first Temple. History records, too, the majesty of the second Temple in Jerusalem. But when Jewish national life in Palestine came to an end, the spiritual fire of the Holy of Holies was carried by the synagogue throughout Israel's wanderings in the Diaspora. The Synagogue became the "small sanctuary."

What are the functions of the synagogue? Something of its function was set forth by Solomon in his dedicatory prayer recorded in the first Book of Kings: "Hear to the supplication of thy servant and thy people Israel when they turn in prayer to this sacred place. When there is a famine in the land . . . or pestilence . . . or any plague of trouble . . . or when a man or woman with heavy laden heart, racked by grief and distress, will come and spread his hands in prayer and supplication in the sacred place . . . listen to them and still the anguish of their hearts. When the people will sin against thee—and there is no person that does not sin . . . if they repent heart and soul and pray with thee . . . do thou hear from thy heavens and grant them mercy and forgiveness."

The synagogue is Israel's place of retreat from the world outside. Where best can we find escape from materialism, earthiness and commonness if not in the sanctuary of God? All of us live [illegible] surrounded by the commonplace. The sanctuary reminds us that we are [illegible] in God. It calls upon us to remember that we are but stewards of what we possess and therefore to walk this earth in humility despite our ownerships.

In the sanctuary we bring our tears and unite these with prayer to the Merciful Father. The synagogue has been the depository of Israel's tears. In the hour of anguish Israel, through prayers and tears within the sanctuary, regained courage to continue the struggle.

In our sacred literature there is recorded the legend interpreting the blessing of tears. When Adam and Eve were driven out of the Garden of Eden they could find no strength in their struggle with their first misfortune. Obsessed by profound anguish, they were overtaken by inarticulate despair. And so God, the Merciful Father, had compassion on them and out of the Divine treasure house he presented them with the gift of tears, which they used and through which they and subsequent generations found relief in the hours of grief and distress.

In the synagogue the Jew has come to thank God for the joys of life. How careless it is that so many only come to God's House in the hour of mourning and forget to thank the Giver of all for life's blessings. The word think and thank have a common origin. The thinkful person is a thankful person. But, alas, how many think through life? How many indulge in counting their blessings? The poetry of life, which so sublimely finds expression in words of prayer of thanksgiving, does not come from us when we live without thought. The pride of material possession chills the spirit of gratitude. We take our health for granted! We take our dear ones for granted. We lack the thankful spirit.

The synagogue, too, is the great training-ground for the Jew. Here he is schooled in ethical living and striving. Where else can we find best interpreted the message of Judaism if not in the synagogue? In the synagogue, elders and youths find the heritage of the Jew stirring and inspiring. They who have deserted Israel's sanctuary and are Jews by race only spiritually tend to atrophy. They who seek substitutes for Judaism know not the joy of even a day in the courts of the Lord. Fighting anti-Semitism is not a substitute for the practice of Judaism. Belonging to a Jewish social club, supporting Jewish philanthropic enterprises are good when spiritually motivated by worship and study in the synagogue.

The synagogue has been Israel's fortress. It is the symbol of our immortality. It is the central institution in Jewish life. It is the source of our strength and being. The great Hebrew poet Shalit, in words immortal, spoke thus of the synagogue:

"And shouldst thou wish to know the source
From which thy tortured brethren drew
In evil days their strength of soul
To meet their doom, stretched out their necks
To each uplifted knife and axe
In fierness, on stakes to die in joy
And with a whisper "God is One"
To close their lips?

Then enter thou the House of God,
The House of study, old and grey."

Yes, the Nazis in one day destroyed over five hundred synagogues. Thus they sought to exterminate the life source of Israel's faith and the peoplehood of Israel. All the more is it essential in this day for all of us to rally about the synagogue and frequent its courts, and long within the sanctuary the holy books of our fathers. Choose whatever type of synagogue that appeals most to you. Let it be Orthodox, Let it be Conservative, let it be Reform or Liberal. The important thing is to be affiliated with the synagogue and give to it your time and means.

There are other little sanctuaries which find their origin in the Mikdoah of the Israel's desert period. There is the "Home Sanctuary". The Jewish home has ever been a mikdoah "me'at". Father and Mother were priests and children were acolytes and these made the home a veritable family altar. Alas, the breakdown of sanctified home life has brought a storm of evil in modern life. The home sanctuary should be a place of peace and serenity. Here, at the end of the day's struggle, the family should find refuge and inspiration. Here, a spirit of love should hold sway, where our bumps on life's highway will be cushioned and our wounds will find healing.

Our places of business, too, can become little sanctuaries. We know of fine and upright men and women who strive hard to translate the teachings of social justice of the synagogue in their business dealings. Why can not a human who is right-minded make his business office a sanctuary where he, an official priest, will strive not only to let live but help live and help increase human happiness through acts of justice and kindness?

The sick room, too, can be made a sanctuary. We have known of consecrated ministries performed by dear ones in the hours when a member of the family has been stretched out on the bed of pain. We have known of noble priests and priestesses within family circles who have risen to the greatest heights of courage and have endured all in order to bring relief to the weak, the wounded, and the broken on life's highway.

We are in a new age. But all the more is it an age in dire need of sanctity and little sanctuaries. If our lives are to be spiritually rich we must return to these holy places and there give evidence that God dwells amongst us.

every friday

"Sometimes when people censure me,
I sell them without remorse
That for what it cost me to be free,
I might have had no another."

The Canadian Friends' Service Committee, a committee of the Religious Society of Friends (Quakers) in Canada, has asked for the cooperation of this paper through editorial comment on their appeal for the relief of suffering in Europe, and, although this column does not write appeals, since if it did it would be doing little else, it cannot refuse this request, and, indeed, feels privileged to grant it, considering the life-long admiration and respect it has had for the Quakers and any humanitarian work which they undertake to do.

The Quakers are unique in the fact that they live and put into effect the ideals of human service which other people declare to be the best. They refuse to bear arms on the grounds of religious objection and have so established their position in this regard that, far from being in question for it, their integrity is considered of the highest quality and no one associates cowardice or dereliction of duty with them. The Quakers or Friends are noted for the fact that where other men have gone before them to destroy, to despoil, and to spill human blood, they go in and bind up the wounds, bring help, and raise hope.

Even the Russians admitted the Friends after the first world war because they knew that these people had no ulterior motives of any sort and would send workers who had no other aim of any kind except to befriend people because they were human beings in need of friendly help. From the Friends the Russians accepted food, clothes, medicines, and the like. After this war these benefactors are engaged in the same purpose. Since 1940 the Friends have been doing relief work in Great Britain. The liberation of Europe showed that their work should be widened and the Friends were urged to expand it, something they intend to do now with the permission of the Department of National War Services.

Relief units of the Society of Friends are operating with displaced persons right now in Germany. Also in France, Italy, Austria, Greece, Finland, and Holland. They will go anywhere they are permitted and needed. The workers volunteer their services without salaries. The Canadian Friends' Service Committee is donating its facilities and services of its staff so that administrative expenses are reduced to a minimum. Most of the money will be spent in Canada for food and other relief supplies to be sent to Europe. This column is sending its contribution to Canadian Friends' War Victims Relief Fund, 113 Maitland Street, Toronto 5.

"Need" is the word of this period. It means the acute and limitless requirements of people without enough food, heat, care, or covering. When the Friends minister to people, there are no categories that have to do with color, race, or creed, or nationality. There is just one category for all and its heading is "the needy." There is just one object and that is to aid them. In appealing to the Jews to help out in the cause, this column is certain of one gratifying thing. With them there is just one heart, the warm one.

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The [illegible] at Fort Ontario, at Oswego, N.Y., has been completed by the National Refugee Service and the place has been emptied of the last group of the nine hundred and eighty guests of the United States Government, most of whom were there since August, 1944. Liberation day for them began on January 17 when the first group left by bus for the Canadian side of Niagara Falls, after which they re-entered the United States under permanent quota visas. On their two-hundred-mile bus ride to Canada they were escorted by a worker of the National Refugee Service and a staff member of the National Council of Jewish Women.

From that time on until all the refugees were removed from the shelter, every few days a bus load left the camp, the home of these people for a year and a half, during which there was an almost constant plan for their liberation into the larger world of which they wanted to become an active part as soon as possible. They were returned from Canada to the United States and then went to their ultimate destinations.

Back of that statement there was a social work job well done by the National Refugee Service and the Council of Jewish Women, and one which they and the Jewish group can be proud of, for there were plenty of problems to meet. Twelve days before the first group left the camp, social workers arrived for the job and a building was staffed with twenty-five people for the resettlement project. Special telephone wires had been installed to speed it up, and each of the refugees had to be interviewed. For each one transportation, housing, and financing had to be arranged, relatives and friends helping in some cases. Some had to be persuaded away from New York, but a home to live in had to be assured before any one was sent to a strange city.

The housing problem made this undertaking harder than it would have been in normal times so that an occasional community could not accept a quota for resettlement. But one community used its country club; another a summer camp that could be heated; another rented hotel rooms, and so on, for use until the newcomers could be resettled permanently, according to the Oswego social workers' judgment of what would be best, based on case histories. A small proportion of the Oswego residents are returning to their native lands in Europe, as did sixty-two Yugoslavs at an earlier time. But with all these refugees there was the problem of allaying their fears and giving them some composure.

Now they are free in the United States, settled in sixty-five cities and towns in nineteen states, but a month before the Truman directive was issued in December, it looked as though all these people might be returned to Europe! For months before that act made their stay possible, the Jewish agencies were working on a plan that would allow them to remain, in view of the changed conditions in Europe which made repatriation impossible. The uncertainty is now over, after flight from the Nazis; life for many in concentration camps; internment in Italy; and a state of suspension in the Oswego shelter. For whatever scars remain there is available the friendship and assistance of skilled and understanding professional workers, agency representatives, and members of Jewish communities, for the effort of replacing fears with hopes.

Joseph E. Beck, executive director of the National Refugee Service, has called the Oswego project a dress rehearsal for the assistance of other Jews who will enter the United States during the thirty-nine thousand current newcomers, as directed by President Truman. It showed what can be done when all hands turn in to accomplish a task, especially with trained workers, and demonstrated that the Jewish community is well prepared to cope with any problems arising from the reception of refugees into the country.

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ant in Poland. A friend of his, together with eight other young Jews, was hidden for three years in a hole dug beneath a barn on a peasant's farm. They were cared for by the peasant and his family throughout that time. On one occasion, the peasant was arrested and beaten by the Gestapo, but even then he did not betray them.

Another friend, a woman, was sheltered for over a year in the house of a Polish engineer and his wife, who also looked after her small daughter who was elsewhere. They took food to her, even during the Warsaw rising.

But there was a Polish woman who, when two little Jewish children fled to her for refuge, telephoned the Gestapo and then stole their clothes when the Germans came to take them away. Another incident was that of a restaurant keeper who, when a Jewish girl entered his premises to telephone, locked the door and sent for the Gestapo.

To-day the atmosphere is such that many Jews refuse to resume their Jewish names. They feel that it is safer to keep their Polish names. It is estimated that at least 20 per cent of all Jews who survived are still living under false names. For, it must be remembered, hostility to Jews is still very formidable.

Nevertheless, Jewish leaders maintain that it is only a matter of time before the determined policy of the Government bears fruit. They firmly believe that, fostered by the new democratic ideals and sentiments now prevailing in the country, race animosity in due course will die down. That same Dr. Berman who recited a list of murders of Jews ended his speech to the National Council by saying:

"I am convinced that in the fight with reaction and Fascism, there will arise in Poland a united front between Jew and Pole, and that in the endeavour to build a social democracy, the Jewish and Polish worker will go hand in hand."

Whether this will be the case is still highly problematical, for, despite the fact that democratic parties in Poland are gaining in strength and the Polish worker is coming into his own, the reactionary and anti-Semitic elements are by no means without power. The Church, which has never been too friendly to the Jew in Poland and, indeed was very often hostile, is still a potent factor, and observers wonder whether it will back the Government or oppose it on this score. Which road the Church in the new Poland will take is still [illegible] towards the Jew.

In the ruins of the Warsaw Ghetto, the naked body of a Jewish student was recently found hanged. The boy, Marek Goldman, had only just returned from Russia with his parents, along with other Polish Jews repatriated from that country.

In the Sharitki Hospital in Lublin, three Jews, the only Jewish patients in the hospital, were shot in their beds—two of them fatally—by armed Poles, who forced their way into the ward. No other patients were attacked.

Of the 5,000 Jews who lived in Belzyce, near Lublin, before the war, only two survived. A couple of months ago they returned to Belzyce to reclaim their homes. They were set upon and one was killed. The other barely escaped with his life.

A bus plying between Lublin and Piaski, carrying some 30 passengers, was held up by a group of armed Poles two months ago. The leader, wearing the uniform of a lieutenant in the Polish Army, ordered all Jews out of the bus. Two were shot, the third, escaped. It was he who told the correspondent what had happened.

ADVISER TO

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to him I can no longer try to dissuade him from leaving.

"Judge Rosenman's service to two Presidents and to his country has been as able and as devoted as it has been self-effacing.

"I wrote to him on June 1 last: 'Some day when accurate history is written you will receive the credit which is due you.' To that expression I now add that the months since then have materially swollen the account.

"The work for which Judge Rosenman resigned from the Supreme Court of the State of New York in October, 1943, at the request of President Roosevelt, was essentially a war job.

"Although he had been rendering regular part-time war service in Washington before that, the needs of the war eventually required that his full time be spent in the White House.

"Now that our enemies have surrendered and he has resigned, I have decided that this war-time emergency post should not be filled. Accordingly, no successor will be appointed to the place vacated by Judge Rosenman as special counsel to the President.

"Judge Rosenman, however, has agreed to come to Washington from time to time, without compensation, to continue to render whatever assistance and advice to me that he can. I expect to call on him frequently for help, as did President Roosevelt during his long tenure of office."

These are only a few of the outrages being committed against Jews, most of them by the reactionary terrorists of the Armja Krajowa and by the other extreme nationalists.

Speaking in the Polish National Council, Dr. Adolf Berman, a representative of the Left Poale Zion, who played a great part in the underground movement in Poland, said:

"During recent weeks, two Jews were killed in Jendrzejow, five in Starachowice, five in Skarzysk-Kamiennej, two in Lods, two in Sieldce, two in Radom, one in Bromkow, and ten, comprising the whole Jewish population there, in Bolslawiec." Dr. Berman did not read out the complete list of murders.

These and many other widespread attacks on Jews have led to what has been called a mass exodus from Poland. Six months ago Dr. Sommerstein, head of the Jewish Committee in Poland, stated that the number of Jews [illegible] in the country was [illegible] tendency in the Russian zone of Austria, where attacks on Jews are more frequent.

In Lods, which is the largest Jewish community in Poland today, 15,000 have left the city out of the 25,000 stated to have been living there six months ago.

By divers means and routes these Jews make their way to Czechoslovakia and Austria and to the British and American zones of occupied Germany. In most cases they liquidate their possessions and take with them what cash they can raise. But even poorer Jews are making their way out.

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